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Michael Fierro is shown in action.

Handout

ONE SNAP SINGLY, FOR ONE NIGHT ONLY SATURDAY

First of all, I have a couple of Hot Tips too hot to wait until the end of this article. On Saturday night at Off-Broadway Taproom, Michael Fierro, lead singer and guitarist for the band Snaps for Sinners, will be performing a solo show. The California-based Snaps have played in Madison numerous times, but always as a trio. This solo appearance should be special.

And secondly, Tyler Warden, lead singer for



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CHARLIE'S BEAT

the band The Bottle Trees, is doing a solo show at Mad Paddle on Friday. I've seen Tyler several times fronting for the band, and he is a charismatic and expressive performer. Check it out on Friday if you are out and about.

And I might as well throw in a third recommendation. Jason Wells, the extremely talented and entertaining blues musician, will be bringing his band to Mad Paddle for

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Gov. Holcomb lifts Indiana mask mandate

Local officials will follow directive but urge vigilance

BY MARK CAMPBELL
Indiana Gov. Eric Holcomb ended the state's mandatory mask order on Wednesday but the Jefferson County Health Department is encouraging and advising all Jefferson County residents and visitors to con-

tinue to be vigilant and take responsibility for their safety and health as well as the safety and health of those around them by continuing to mask up, social distance and hand wash/sanitize, and to respect businesses that choose to keep COVID precautions in place.

The health department issued the advisory Wednesday afternoon while at about

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City council considers expanding golf cart access

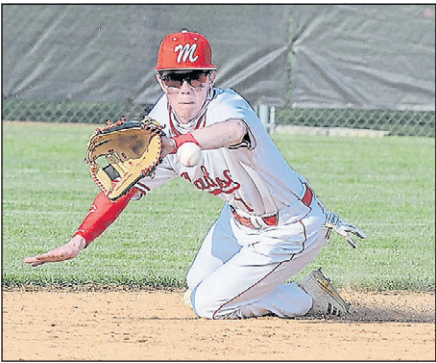
Amendment would carry new safety mandates

BY MARK CAMPBELL
Madison City Council Tuesday night heard the first reading of an ordinance that would open up more city streets to golf cart traffic while also attaching some safety standards in the num-

ber of passengers allowed to ride in carts and mandating that children requiring child seats in cars be adequately restrained in golf carts.

Madison has allowed golf cart use on most city streets since 2009 but getting from the hilltop to downtown or vice versa has always been a roadblock for users following the letter of the city law.

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MADISON'S REDEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

Support pledged to sidewalk study

BY MARK CAMPBELL

Madison's Redevelopment Commission pledged \$50,000 toward the cost of an upcoming project to review and assess every sidewalk in the city in terms of condition and accessibility as part of a massive sidewalk improvement program Mayor Bob Courtney hopes to launch over the next several years.

The review, perhaps the first comprehensive review ever of sidewalks in both Madison's downtown and hilltop, will be conducted by HWC Engineering of New Albany, with a goal of providing the city with a complete breakdown of sidewalk infrastructure Madison and the detailed information necessary to pursue federal

Americans with Disabilities Act compliance grants.

With the city looking to spend more than \$1 million on addressing its sidewalk problems over the next three years and into the future, knowing which area needs work most and being prepared to pursue funding in a

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Brian Christman works from the top of scaffolding while using a chainsaw to carve out a blue heron he has been commissioned to create atop a white ash tree trunk on Clifty Drive in Madison. The tree, a victim of the Emerald Ash Borer, is located just across the highway from the north entrance to Clifty Falls State Park.

Christman saws salvaged ash into iconic landmark on Clifty Drive

BY MARK CAMPBELL

Once damaged beyond survival by the emerald ash borer, a huge white ash located just feet from Clifty Drive on Madison's hilltop was destined for the chainsaw either way.

But letting go of a big tree that had been around a lifetime proved difficult for property owners Chris and Karol Kirk, and the thought of reducing the once beautiful specimen to a pile of firewood just added insult to injury. So in the end they called on artist Brian Christman to turn what was left and salvageable — a thick, rock-solid 13-foot trunk — into a work of art that will now stand

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A truck whizzes by on Clifty Drive just feet away from Brian Christman as he works from a scaffold to carve on a 13-foot white ash tree trunk he is sculpting with a chainsaw just across the highway from the north entrance to Clifty Falls State Park in Madison.

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Road Briefs

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Bridge approach work to resume April 12

Work on the approaches to the Milton-Madison Bridge in Madison will resume on or after Monday, April 12, when Beaty Construction crews return to the area to close out months of construction on the new US 421 gateway to Madison.

Workers are expected to begin moving dirt and placing sod throughout project limits. Traffic impacts should be minimal with the possibility of lane closures and flagging as needed.

In early May, crews will begin laying the final asphalt surface between Walnut Street and the bridge. This work will take place under lane closures with flagging. Following paving, a section of Main Street from

Walnut Street to St. Michaels Avenue will be restriped to match the configuration of the bridge approach. Crosswalk markings at East Street also will be enhanced and parking will remain available on the north side of Main Street.

Motorists should slow down, use caution, and drive distraction-free in and near work zones. All work is weather-dependent and schedules are subject to change.

Slide repair to close SR 250 near Patriot

The Indiana Department of Transportation has announced a closure of State Road 250 in Switzerland County on or after Saturday, April 10, for a \$1.2 million slide repair project. The road is slated to be closed

for 120 days, through early August, approximately 0.6 miles west of SR 156 near Patriot just east of Asherman Road. The official detour will follow SR 156 and SR 56. However, local access will be maintained for residents in the area.

The contract, awarded to Paul H. Rohe Company in May 2020, includes a completion date set for Oct. 15, 2021. Motorists are asked to slow down, use extra caution and drive distraction-free in and near all work zones. All work is weather-dependent and schedules are subject to change.

\$3M contract to resurface parts of SR 62 begins Monday

Indiana Department of Transportation contractor MAC Construction plans to begin work

on or after Monday, April 12, on a \$3 million contract to patch, mill, and repave two sections of State Road 62 in Jefferson County.

Crews will begin with patch work between the east junction of SR 56, just east of Hanover, and the bridge over Big Clifty Creek near Clifty Falls State Park. Daytime lane closures will be in place while work is in progress. Later this spring, crews will move to the second section on SR 62, from US 421 to the west junction of SR 250.

The \$3 million contract was awarded in July 2020 and is expected to be complete by Aug. 31, 2021. Motorists are asked to slow down, use extra caution and drive distraction-free in and near all work zones. All work is weather-dependent and schedules are subject to change.

Police Briefs

From staff reports

MPD makes arrest in attempted car theft

Madison Police responding to the attempted theft of a vehicle in downtown Madison located a suspect walking south across the Milton-Madison Bridge and arrested the man after confirming his identify in the case.

James D. Walker, 27, of Carrollton, Kentucky, was arrested at approximately 12:30 p.m. on Tuesday for allegedly attempting to steal a vehicle in the 700 block of East Main Street in Madison.

Senior patrolman Seth Melton arrested Walker on the Milton-Madison Bridge walkway after receiving a description of the suspect and then identifying him as the person involved in the case. In addition to the attempted vehicle theft, Walker also was found to be in possession of money stolen from the vehicle.

Walker faces preliminary charges of unauthorized entry into a vehicle, a Level 6 felony; attempted theft of a vehicle, a Class A misdemeanor; and criminal mischief, a Class B misdemeanor. He was lodged in the Jefferson County Jail Bond where he is being

held on a \$1,000 cash bond.

Melton was assisted by MP Lt. Dan Slygh, Detective Shawn Scudder and Patrolman Chad Wehner.

Traffic stop in Hanover leads to pursuit

A traffic stop over a false license plate initiated by Hanover Police on Sunday, April 4, led to a pursuit and the arrest of a Lexington man who was wanted on an active warrant for Jefferson County.

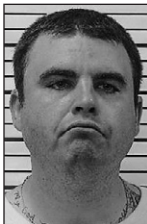
Hanover Police officer Kyle Pence initiated

the traffic stop on a green Honda, but the driver fled in the vehicle and a pursuit ensued.

The chase ended around 1000 West and State Road 256 and once the driver was in custody and identified as Darrell Atkins, 36, Lexington, it was discovered that there was an active warrant for his arrest in Jefferson County.

Atkins has been charged with resisting law enforcement and possession of syringe, both Level 6 felonies; and operator never licensed, a Class A misdemeanor, with bond set at \$1,000 cash. He is also being held in Jefferson County Jail without bond on a warrant for failure to appear.

Hanover Police Department was assisted by Jefferson County Sheriff's Department and Jennings County Sheriff's Department.



James D. Walker



Darrell Atkins



Mark Campbell

Students from the Future Problem Solvers program at Madison Junior High School lead Madison City Council and the council audience in a pledge supporting Pollution Awareness Week after giving a presentation at Madison City Hall Tuesday night.

ACCESS

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In the wake of Jefferson County's decision last August to open its County Roads to golf cart and ATV traffic, the city held the first reading of an amendment to its cart ordinances that would finally allow carts to make once forbidden highway crossings connecting the north side of Clifty Drive to the south side and the hilltop to downtown.

Golf carts would still not be allowed on State Road 56 from Main Street to the top of Hanover Hill or State Roads 62 and 7. US 421 or any federal highway would also continue to be off limits, but carts would continue to be allowed to cross Main Street at intersections with traffic signals downtown and at the traffic lights where Wilson Avenue and Cragmont Street intersect with Clifty Drive on the hilltop.

In addition, crossing of US 421 would be allowed at the right angle intersections of Walnut Street and Aulencback Avenue downtown and the Orchard Street and Green Road intersection on State Road 7 on the hilltop. The route connecting the hilltop and downtown would be via Hatcher Hill.

Under the proposed guidelines, a person with a golf cart and enough patience and street knowledge should be able to navigate their way throughout the city limits and even into the county based on the ordinance.

However, the ordinance

also adds language limiting the number of passengers allowed to the recommended number of passengers seating. Also, children who ride in child seats in other vehicles, would have to be restrained in golf carts.

"The intent of this amendment is to bring some safety to the ever-growing population who are using that as their mode of transportation throughout our community and it's really an opportunity to connect the county to the north of Clifty Drive with the City of Madison by allowing them to cross Clifty Drive at designated areas and safely get downtown to partake in any of our festivals or events, shopping, restaurants and any of the that kind of thing," said the amendment's sponsor Councilman Curtis Chatham. "Really, the intent was to bring some safety aspects into this. That's where we address the passengers and kids ... hopefully we don't see any more parents holding their kids while they're driving their golf cart."

The amendment would still need a second and third reading before it can be voted on so there will be opportunities for additional input or questions.

In fact, the council already posed the question of whether the amendment should also address ATVs since side-by-sides are allowed on county roads and allowing golf carts from the county onto city streets but not ATVs could cause confusion. In addition, Hanover Town Council is apparently considering its own golf cart ordinances so there could be reason to get all three governments together for a more comprehensive and consistent policy on usage.

In other business, the council:

- Heard a report by Deputy Mayor and Chief of Staff Mindy McGee that the city stands to receive

about \$2.5 million over the next two years from the federal American Rescue Act approved recently. She said the staff will be looking at ways to leverage those funds to do the most good for the community.

In addition to Madison, Jefferson County stands to receive about \$6 million and Hanover about \$750,000 out of the overall \$3 billion awarded to Indiana.

Courtney said the key will be to target infrastructure needs that will serve the community well into the future because the allocation is "a once in a lifetime opportunity" to make a difference.

- Approved issuing letters of support to two applications for three-way liquor licenses — River-town Grill, 321 Jefferson Street and Crafted Coffee Madison, 329 West Main Street — that will now be sent on for state consideration. The businesses, both relatively new, must commit to generating \$66,600 in food sales in the first year, \$100,000 the second year and \$125,000 the third in order to keep the license if awarded.

- Heard a presentation by the Future Problem Solvers at Madison Junior High School after their class identified an important issue in the community — Pollution Awareness Week — and considered cost effective solutions. The group noted that eliminating pollution like trash and debris in Madison is something that essentially costs nothing but effort and awareness but can have a huge impact on the community.

- Heard the second reading of an ordinance to vacate two alleys on the west end of downtown Madison adjoining the Heritage Trail Park but delayed a third reading and passage to allow time for additional consideration. Rick Grote attended the meeting and spoke in favor of closing the alleys but retaining easements to maintain the option of using that space for additional parking at the new Riverside Tower Lofts should the need be identified.

LOTTERY

INDIANA
Hoosier Lotto: 6-12-21-25-31-37 (4/3). Estimated Jackpot: \$8.4 million. Next Drawing (4/7).
Daily 3: 5-6-2 SB: 7
Daily 4: 4-3-9-0 SB: 7
Cash Five: 16-21-40-42-43 (4/6).
Cash 4 Life: 21-23-25-34-51 CB: 2 (4/6)

KENTUCKY
Pick 3: 8-8-2
Pick 4: 1-2-7-1
Cash Ball: 2-5-13-30 CB: 25 (4/6)
Lucky For Life: 2-5-16-26-39 LB: 10 (4/5)

MEGAMILLIONS
1-19-20-32-42 MB: 17, MP: x3 (4/6). Next Estimated Jackpot: \$201 million, Next Drawing (4/9)

POWERBALL
1-12-17-39-53 PB: 5 PP: x2 (4/3). Next Estimated Jackpot: \$43 million. Next Drawing (4/7).

WEATHER

Sunrise: 7:13 a.m.
Sunset: 8:12 p.m.
Temperature: High 79, Low 59, Mean 69, Excess 14.4
Precipitation since last published: 0
Precipitation, April: 0
Precipitation, year: 7.49
Barometer: 29.94, Falling
River Level at IKE: 424.8, Falling
3-day forecast: Friday: Partly cloudy High 75/Low 54; Saturday: Rain High 66/Low 45; Sunday: Mostly cloudy High 63/Low 45.

NEWS OF RECORD

JEFFERSON COUNTY JAIL

ARRESTS & LODGINGS

April 5, 2021

Kaleb Daniel Booker, 35, on an out of state hold for Kentucky. No bond.

Cory Lee Meadows, 31, on a bond revocation warrant. No bond.

Michael L. Sweet, on a parole warrant hold. No bond.

April 6, 2021

Shelby Hayden Dunlap, 30, on a Jefferson County probation violation warrant. Bond \$10,000 cash only.

Daniel Ray Johnson Jr., 27, for possession of a syringe and visiting a common nuisance-controlled substances, both Level 6 felonies; and possession of marijuana, a Class A misdemeanor. Bond \$1,000 cash only.

Steven Ray Perry, 45, for resisting law enforcement and communication intimidation, both Level 6 felonies; and public intoxication by alcohol/drugs and disorderly conduct, both Class B misdemeanors. No bond.

James D. Walker, 27, for vehicle theft, a Level 6 felony; theft, a Class A misdemeanor; and criminal mischief, a Class B misdemeanor. Bond \$1,000 cash.

April 7, 2021

Jahuey Maria E. Reyes, 29, on a Jefferson County warrant for failure to appear. Bond \$100 cash only.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

JEFFERSON COUNTY

Historic Madison Foundation Inc. to Kevin Watkins, 222 West Second Street, Madison.

Rebecca R. Pyles and Rebecca R. Sievers to Rebecca R. Pyles, 2323 Allen Street, Madison.

Gale H. Ferris Sr. (deceased) and Eleanor J. Ferris to Eleanor J. Ferris, two parcels totaling approximately 5.7 acres at 9749 East State Road 62 and 9713 East State Road 62, Canaan.

Gale H. Ferris Sr. (deceased) and Eleanor J. Ferris to Eleanor J. Ferris, a parcel at 9749 East State Road 62, Canaan.

Jefferson County Sheriff David Thomas, Sheriff Jefferson County David Thomas and Noah A. Stookey to Pennymac Loan Services LLC, 501 West Main Street.

Gary R. and Sandra J. Clark to Gary R. Clark, Sandra J. Clark (trustees) and Clark Family Trust, 4613 West 1100 North, Dupont.

Beau Recon LLC to Dwight David and Jessica Lauren Holley, 122 Cherry Trace, Madison.

Sharon K. Chandler and Larry Keith Konkle to Larry Keith Konkle, Christopher Ryan Konkle and Sharon K. Chandler, 5239 North Graham Road, Madison.

Sharon K. Chandler and Larry Keith Konkle to Sharon K. Chandler, Larry Keith Konkle and Christopher Ryan Konkle, 2488 Franks Drive, Madison.

Thomas III and Kristen E. Dewit to Thomas Parsons and Brooklyn Shaffer, 2115 Galway Trail North, Madison.

Priscilla A. Branham and Priscilla C. Thurnall Revocable Trust to Connor P. Thurnall, 10376 West State Road 250, Deputy, 10285 West State Road 250,

Deputy, 1000+ State Road 250, Deputy and 6100+ Deputy 970 West, Deputy.

Donna Helton Calhoun to Christopher Calhoun, Deputy and Robertson's Addition, Lot 82.

Greg P. and Melissa D. Distel to Alice Ann Volley and Cheryl J. Thomas, 4267 West State Road 256, Hanover.

Alex Garrett, Alex Wenning and John Stephan to Thomas and Alex Wenning and John Stephan, 400 Meadow Lane, Madison.

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BIRTHDAYS

EDITOR'S NOTE: Got a birthday or anniversary coming up? Send name, date and number of years (optional) to zelda@madisoncourier.com or call 812-265-3641. Please leave your name and phone number in case we have followup questions.

Birthdays

APRIL 8

- Kyli Heightchew

APRIL 10

- Judy Wright

APRIL 11

- Jeff Walters

APRIL 12

- Pat Coppage
- Amber Gividen-Scholl
- Teresa Heitz Anderson

APRIL 13

- Brittney DeLucio

APRIL 14

- Ty Scholl — 3

ASH

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many more years as an iconic landmark along Clifty Drive just across from the entrance to Clifty Falls State Park.

“It had been dead awhile and loose branches were falling and we couldn’t let it fall on the traffic on Clifty Drive so something had to be done,” said Karol Kirk, whose parents Joe and Ann Goley lived in a farmhouse that used to stand nearby on the property. “Now it’s going to be a one-of-a-kind piece of artwork that people can see for years. The tree’s not rotten and once Brian is done he will put sealer on it and we will reapply when we have to and there’s no telling how long it will last there.”

Christman agreed, noting that once the borers killed the big tree by damaging it enough to cut off nutrients, part of the ash had to come down with it being located so close to the highway. However, the remaining trunk is as solid as ever — the white ash is a favorite among baseball bat makers so that’s pretty solid — and should stand for a long, long time once he’s done with his work.

A US Air Force veteran and former nurse, Christman got into chainsaw carving about 14 years ago and has been devoted



Mark Campbell

Brian Christman uses a chainsaw to cut away portions of a white ash tree trunk to form the long neckline of a blue heron near the top of a 13-foot wood sculpture he is carving on commission in the 2200 block of Clifty Drive on Madison’s hilltop.

full-time to the art the last 3 ½ years, sawing out 100s of figures from as small as a foot to as big as 23 feet.

Originally from Vevay but now based in Pleasant, Christman travels the eastern US from Indiana, Ohio and Kentucky to the north in the summer to south into Florida in the winter, creating art from of blocks of wood big and small using an array of chainsaws. Tuesday he began work on the Kirk’s commission to create a grouping of three blue

herons with the big ash — a project he hoped to complete by Wednesday while working atop scaffolding with traffic whizzing by just feet away in the 2200 block of Clifty Drive.

Kirk said blue herons were selected for the commission because the birds carry special meaning to her and her husband. A pond on the back of their farm has three nesting pairs and where they winter in the Florida Keys is also frequented by herons.

She can’t wait to see what Christman creates because she’s admired his work for years and even owns three much smaller pieces that he carved previously.

Christman’s work can be seen all over and some of his more portable carvings can be seen and purchased at Spoda’s on East US 50 in Dillsboro. He’s also completed several commissions for the city park in Aurora and will be doing another there this summer with a riverboat theme.

SNAP

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the third time this Saturday. Don’t be surprised if local guitar hero Tom Stevely sits in for a few songs!

As we head into the warmer months and COVID releases it’s grip (hopefully soon, please stay vigilant a little longer!) it’s worth taking stock of the many local music venues that will be coming online again.

Red Bicycle Hall, after a long slow winter of sporadic shows, is back with five shows in April and one scheduled already for May. Off-Broadway Taproom is consistently hosting music on Friday and Saturday weekly. Mad Paddle is committed to Thursday, Friday and Saturday weekly. And Thomas Family Winery is back with every music Saturday.

But it’s worth taking a look at some of the other venues, and thinking about how we can support them so they can be more consistent. Riverboat Inn features nice intimate solo acts fairly often. The Historic Broadway Tavern will pop in with a show from time to time, especially as it gets warmer and they can utilize their front patio area. Oh, and Joe Breech at Rivertown Grill will be having music very soon, too.

The Elks Lodge is sponsoring music on a lot of Wednesdays and Thursdays, trying to fill in the mid-week demand for live entertainment. And I just got word that the Moose Lodge on the hilltop has a show coming up next week. Hopefully the American Legion will get back in the swing soon, too.

SIDEWALK

FROM **PAGE A1**

competitive grant program are essential to the project.

The work will not only involve assessing the overall condition of sidewalks but curbs, crosswalks, bathrooms and other facilities in a comprehensive evaluation on where Madison stands.

Courtney said the study will likely show that Madison’s sidewalks are in need of a lot of work — no substantial maintenance or improvements have been made in years — but the city may actually realize that even its better sidewalks don’t meet ADA compliance due to condition, amount of incline and other issues which limit those with disabilities.

“The only work we’ve really done on sidewalks for years is to replace some damaged sidewalk — especially when a resident offers to split the cost 50-50,” Courtney said after the meeting. “I think we can spend millions fixing the problems and it could take years.”

In other business, the Redevelopment Commission heard a presentation

on ways to better leverage money collected by the city’s Tax Increment Financing zone — the approximately \$4 million generated annually by the TIF that the Redevelopment Commission then uses to help grow business, industry and economic and community development.

Courtney said by using that money to finance bond issues — borrowing money with the TIF receipts used for repayment — the community could tackle bigger projects sooner, meet long-term needs now and still keep enough cash in reserve to be able to act when an opportunity arises.

The Commission gave its endorsement to investigate the process further to see just how much leverage the city could expect based on the annual TIF collections. If the strategy proves sound, the Commission could give it further consideration and possible approval at a later date.

One such opportunity was presented at Tuesday’s meeting when Habitat for Humanity came before the Redevelopment Commission asking for

funding to help lay the groundwork for a new subdivision off Lanier Drive that would eventually provide lots for six Habitat homes.

Habitat was asking for \$150,000 of a \$200,000 project to provide the infrastructure necessary to create building lots for a subdivision that would be called Clifty Woods near the Habitat’s Restore property on Lanier Drive. The work would include streets, curbs, storm sewers and other utilities to locate six homes on a cul-de-sac.

Courtney endorsed the project, noting the homes will be owner occupied and probably valued at about \$150,000 each when finished with the owners working through Habitat to get them built through the support of volunteers. The program

also educates the new home owners — about 30 such potential home owners would likely apply for the opportunity — on the financial responsibilities of ownership and requires that they contribute sweat equity to the project.

The mayor noted added an initial \$150,000 investment could develop an unused tract of land into about a \$900,000 subdivision for the city’s property tax rolls while meeting underserved housing needs in the community.

“They will be beautiful homes with good construction,” Courtney said.

Having the money on hand to commit to the project, the Redevelopment Commission voted unanimously to pledge \$150,000 to the work with \$100,000 allocated this year and \$50,000 in 2022.

THIS WEEK IN MUSIC

THURSDAY, APRIL 8

Mad Paddle Brewery — Tracy & Elaine
Elks Lodge — Joe Perkinson

FRIDAY, APRIL 9

Mad Paddle Brewery — Tyler Warden
Off-Broadway Taproom — Vaguely Familiar
Riverboat Inn — Joe Perkinson

SATURDAY, APRIL 10

Mad Paddle Brewery — Jason Wells Band
Thomas Family Winery — Rivertown Ramblers
Off-Broadway Taproom — Michael Fierro
Riverboat Inn — Joe Perkinson & Deano Crafton

But a big one to watch out for very soon is the Lighthouse floating bar and restaurant down Vaughn Drive on the riverfront. They are very close to opening back up, and they share a commitment to live music and being a contributing part of Indiana’s Music City.

The thing to remember about all these venues, especially the ones that are less than consistent, or only have music one night a week, is that it’s all based on economics and customer support.

All these venues love hosting live music, but it costs money to hire musicians, and there needs to be a consistent incremental increase in

business to justify it. That’s where we, the music fans of Madison, come in. If we get off the couch and get out and fill these venues, then they will continue with live music. In fact, most of them will expand their music offerings, if the demand justifies it.

So get out there. Fill the seats and enjoy the show. And if you know the manager or owner of the venue, call them over and tell them how much you appreciate what they are doing. We are the key to Indiana’s Music City. Tell your friends, especially your out-of-town friends, about the great things happening here every weekend!

HOT TIP OF THE WEEK

On a personal note, this Friday my wife and I will be “fully vaccinated,” to use the medical vernacular. It will be two weeks since our second COVID shot, so we are as virus-resistant as we’re gonna get. It is our intention to head down to Off-Broadway Taproom, sit at a stage front table (or maybe at the bar) and listen to the duo Vaguely Familiar play their almost-remembered song list. This is kind of a big deal for us, since it was just over a year ago that we last enjoyed an evening at our favorite little pub. We’ll still be wearing our masks when we can, respecting the space and health of those around us, but it’s time for us to start enjoying Madison music again. I urge you to join us!

Charlie Rohlfling is a retired advertising man and partner in The Red Bicycle Hall music venue. Look for his distinctive fedora bobbing above the crowd, anywhere live local music is happening.

MASK

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the same time officials from Madison, Hanover and Jefferson County also weighed in on the Holcomb’s latest executive order concerning the COVID-19 pandemic

Jefferson County is currently at a Blue advisory status and no restrictions are in place. However, this is subject to change if the county moves to yellow, orange or a red advisory status and one way to help prevent that from happening is to remain vigilant.

Madison Mayor Bob Courtney joined Hanover Town Council President Kenny Garrett and Jefferson County Commissioner David Bramer to issue a statement regarding their position on the governor’s announcement. Although Holcomb lifted the mask mandate, he extended the state’s public health emergency related to COVID-19 through April 30 and the local leaders said local policies will be no more restrictive than those issued by the state but urged residents to continue to exercise caution.

“Each municipality recognizes and affirms Governor Holcomb’s recent announcement ending the statewide mask mandate and limitations on gathering sizes beginning April 6 2021,” Courtney said in a release issued by the city. “In addition, we affirm that our local policies will not be more restrictive than that which has been proposed by Governor Holcomb. However, we will continue to consider a data driven approach in consultation with the Governor’s office, the Indiana State Department of Health, and our local health department, in determining future policy as necessary to promote public safety.

“Jefferson County has consistently had one of the lowest positivity rate averages in our 12-county region. We have maintained strong healthcare capacity in Jefferson County and thank our community members for their efforts to help contain our overall positivity and transmission rates,” Courtney continued. “We support and

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appreciate the Governor’s free COVID testing program, and increased vaccination availability that helped us “Get Back to Blue” and urge residents to take advantage of these.

“We encourage Madison, Hanover and Jefferson County residents to follow all CDC protocols to protect their own health as needed. We also encourage residents to respect businesses who wish to keep the precautions in place,” he said.

Along those lines, the local health department urged all Jefferson County residents and visitors to get vaccinated against COVID-19. With four local vaccine sites to choose from, local residents age 16 and older can schedule vaccination by visiting www.ourshot.in.gov or by calling 211. Vaccine being given locally so far includes Moderna, Pfizer — both two shot processes — and the single dose Johnson & Johnson. All 16- and 17-year-olds must receive the Pfizer vaccine.

Additionally, the health department encouraged all residents to seek testing if they develop symptoms of COVID-19. Jefferson County currently has two free testing sites and tests can be scheduled by visiting www.coronavirus.in.gov. For more information about the latest guidance from Governor Holcomb or testing and vaccination availability, visit www.coronavirus.in.gov.

“The health, safety, and well being of all Jefferson County residents and visitors remain a top priority for the Jefferson County Health Department,” said the release, issued by JCHD Administrator Tammy Monroe, “please enjoy all the spring festivities our beautiful county has to offer, but please do so safely.”

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OBITUARIES

Chris King

Christopher C. “Chris” King, 58, of Warsaw, Kentucky, died Sunday, April 4, 2021, at the Norton Hosparus Inpatient Unit in Louisville.

He was born April 27, 1962, in Cincinnati, Ohio, to Kenneth and Sherry Perkins King. He lived most of his life in Warsaw and was a 1980 graduate of Gallatin County High School. He served in the US Marine Corps from 1980-1984 and was honorably discharged as a Corporal. He re-enlisted in 1985 and was honorably discharged again in 1989. He married Karen Alexander on April 21, 1982, and they had two sons and a daughter. He worked many years as an over-the-road truck driver and had last worked for Dormans. He was a member of Warsaw Baptist Church in Warsaw, and liked collecting cars, studying history — especially World War II airplanes — playing softball, going to church, fishing, driving his tractor trailers and being a patriot.

Survivors include his father of Ghent, Kentucky; a daughter, Heather King of Greensburg, Indiana; his sons, Andrew C. King of Milton, Kentucky and

Adam King of Vevay, Indiana; a brother, Nathan King of Ghent; his sister, Julie King White of Ghent; and six grandchildren, an aunt, two uncles, a great aunt, several great nieces and great nephews whom he considered like grandchildren, cousins and other relatives.

He was preceded in death by his mother on Jan. 11, 2011, and a brother, Carl King.

Funeral services will be at 2:30 p.m. on Friday, April 9, at the Warsaw Baptist Church in Warsaw. Interment will follow in the Warsaw Cemetery in Warsaw. Visitation is 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. Thursday and 1 p.m. until time of services Friday at the church. A final salute with military honors will be conducted by the Major Samuel Woodfill Post No. 9 of the American Legion.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Chris King Remembrance Fund or to the Warsaw Baptist Church. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover. Online condolences, www.morgan-nay.com.

Norma McMahan

Norma McMahan, 88, of North Vernon, Indiana, died Monday, April 5, 2021, at her home.

She was born Jan. 16, 1933, in Madison, Indiana, to Melvin and Lucy Pettit Jenkins. She was a graduate of Aurora High School and married Robert McMahan on Aug. 26, 2012. She retired from Regal Rugs after 26 years and was a member of Chestnut Street Community Church. She enjoyed doing crafts, listening to gospel music, doing activities at the senior center, traveling and growing flowers.

Survivors include her daughters, Carol Jean Hadley and Sheryl Ann Hawkins, both of North Vernon; her stepdaughters, Jamie Davis of Madison and Linda Schroeder of Salem; a half-brother,

Gilbert Leroy Moody of Virginia; and seven grandchildren, 10 great grandchildren and one great-great granddaughter.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband of five years on Feb. 25, 2017; a son, Edward Barnes; and a half-brother, Frank Marvin Moody.

Funeral service will be at 1 p.m. on Thursday, April 8, at the Sawyer-Pickett Funeral and Cremation Service in North Vernon. Burial will be in the Vernon Cemetery in Vernon, Indiana. Visitation is 10 a.m. until the time of services Thursday at the funeral home.

Memorials can be made through the funeral home to Chestnut Street Community Church. Online condolences, www.sawyerfuneralservice.com.

Luci Jackson

Lucille “Luci” Bruther Jackson, 92, of Lexington, Indiana, died Wednesday, March 31, 2021, on the family farm where she had lived the past 70 years after a lengthy illness.

She was born Feb. 15, 1929, in Jefferson County, Indiana, to Gordon W. Bruther and Eva Mae Means Bruther. When she was 12 her mother died unexpectedly, leaving her to care for her six siblings ages three to 15. She married Millis L. Jackson, of Saluda, Indiana, on March 15, 1947, and they had a son and a daughter. She was a member of New Prospect Baptist Church, a homemaker and a farmer’s wife as partners in Jackson Brothers Farms. Over the years, she prepared meals for many farmhands. She also enjoyed the latest fashions and wearing beautiful jewelry and clothing and particularly enjoyed trendy shoes. She enjoyed having her children and their families live nearby on the family farm and, after her husband died, the companionship of her lifelong friend, Norman Wiggam, who died in March 2018.

Survivors include her son, Jerry Lynn Jackson of Hanover; her daughter, Teri Marie Kleopfer of Lexington; two brothers, Delbert H. Bruther of Hanover and Woodrow

Bruther of Madison; and three granddaughters, a grandson, seven great grandchildren, several nieces, nephews and other relatives.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her stepmother Elma Lowe Bruther; in 1995; her husband of 51 years in 1998; her sisters Emily Lou Mundt in 1948, Marjorie “Margie” I. Vestal in 2003 and Waneta Ella Clark in 2019; a brother, William “Bill” G. Bruther in 2020; and a granddaughter.

Memorial services will be at 1 p.m. on Saturday, April 10, at the Morgan & Funeral Center-Hanover Chapel in Hanover. Private committal services will follow in the New Bethel Cemetery near Chelsea, Indiana. The funeral ceremony will be livestreamed on the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre Facebook page. Visitation is 10 a.m. until the time of service Saturday at the funeral chapel. Guest are asked to observe social distancing guidelines while visiting and the family respectfully asks that everyone wear a mask covering their mouth and nose.

Memorial contributions may be made to New Bethel Cemetery Association. Cards are available at the funeral home. Online condolences, www.morgan-nay.com.

Doug Hiler

Doug Hiler, 69 of Nabb, Indiana, died Monday, April 5, 2021, at his home.

He was born on Nov. 7, 1951, in Hamilton, Ohio, to Forrest and Nellie Biddle Hiler. He was US Army veteran and a logger by trade, working at Burton Lumber in Blocher, Indiana, for more than 25 years. He was a member of the Case Tractor Club and collected Case tractors and all kinds of toy tractors. He enjoyed gardening, his family and grandchildren.

Survivors include his wife, Linda Minton Hiler; a son Matthew Scott Hiler of Nabb; a daughter, Angie Hart of Madison; a stepdaughter, Cindy Turner of Nab; four sisters, Ella Mae LaMaster of Commiskey, Indiana, Judy Stone of McCordsville, Indiana, Marjorie Burr of Harve

de Grace, Maryland and Patsy Snell of Nabb; two brothers, Marvin Hiler of Scottsburg, Indiana and Ed Hiler of Lexington; and nine grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a brother, Donnie Hiler; a sister Shirley Bush; and a stepdaughter, Peggy Abner.

Celebration of life services will be held at 2 p.m. on Friday, April 9, at the Grayson Funeral Home in New Washington, Indiana, with burial in Barnes Cemetery in Nabb. Visitation is 11 a.m. until time of services Friday at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association. Online condolences, www.graysonfuneralhomes.com.

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Mr. Charles Robert “Bob” McDole



Mr. Charles Robert “Bob” McDole, age 88, of Madison, Indiana entered this life on August 24, 1932 in Trimble County, Kentucky. The loving son of the late Owen Silas and Bessie Pearl Wright McDole. He was raised in Trimble County and attended Milton School. He moved to Madison in 1951 and was inducted into the United States Army on February 12, 1953 in Louisville, Kentucky. He rose to the rank of Sergeant serving in Battery B Second Field Artillery Battalion during the Korean War Era. Additionally serving as Chief of Artillery section as Staff Sergeant. Bob was honorably discharged on February 11, 1955 from Fort Sill, Oklahoma receiving the National Defense Service Medal, Good Conduct Medal and Sharp Shooter Medal. On October 7, 1955 Bob was united in marriage to Lenore Joy O’Neal at the Madison First Nazarene Church. This happy union of 65 years was blessed with sons, Robert Wayne and Charles Bradley and daughters, Rhonda Jean and Jill Renee. He retired after 37 years of service with the Williamson Company working as a millwright, welder and in maintenance. He enjoyed farming and gardening all of his life. He also enjoyed raising cattle. As a child he was raised in the Mt. Carmel United Methodist Church in Milton, Kentucky. Later he became a longtime member of the Ryker’s Ridge Baptist Church and for the past 19 years held membership in the Green Road Baptist Church in Madison. During that time he served several years as a Deacon. He held membership in the Jefferson County Farm Bureau and the Major Samuel Woodfill Post No. 9 of the American Legion. Bob enjoyed watching baseball, football, basketball, hunting and being with his family. He was a devoted husband, dad, grandpa and great grandpa. He was a true patriot, who loved his God, his country and his family. Bob never met a stranger and was always willing to help anyone in need. Bob died on Tuesday, April 6, 2021, at his home in Madison, Indiana with his loving family at his side.

A LOVING FAMILY

Bob will be missed by his loving wife of 65 years, Lenore Joy O’Neal McDole of Madison, Indiana; his loving sons, Robert Wayne McDole and his wife, Mary Margaret of Owensboro, Kentucky, Charles Bradley McDole and his wife, Candice of Madison, Indiana; his loving daughters, Rhonda Jean McDole Sauley and her husband, Rick of Madison, Indiana, Jill Renee McDole Miller of Lexington, Indiana and her husband Mike Miller; his 17 grandchildren; his 20 great grandchildren; his sister, Mary Alice James of Madison, Indiana; his brother, Rev. Richard McDole and his wife, Mary Joyce of Chattanooga, Tennessee; his sister in law Janet Brawner and her husband, Paul Joe of Madison, Indiana; his brother in laws, Carroll “Pete” O’Neal and his companion, Joyce Webster of Madison, Indiana, Gary O’Neal and his wife, Sue of Madison, Indiana, Jim O’Neal and his wife, Jo of Shelbyville, Indiana; several nieces, nephews and other relatives. He was preceded in death by his father, Owen Silas McDole, his mother, Bessie Pearl Wright McDole, his sister, Betty Milholland, her husband, Donald Franklin Milholland, his brother in laws, Clyde James and Wallace Heitz, his sister in laws Martha Ann Heitz and Helen L. O’Neal, his niece Patricia Heitz Andrews, his father in law and mother in law, Floyd “Pete” O’Neal and Agnes Taylor Ralston O’Neal.

FUNERAL CEREMONY

Funeral services will be conducted on Sunday, April 11, 2021, at 2:00 p.m., by Pastor Chris Chavez at the Green Road Baptist Church, 432 Green Road in Madison, Indiana. Interment will follow in the Indiana Veterans Memorial Cemetery, 1415 North Gate Road in Madison, Indiana.

VISITATION

Friends may visit Saturday from 5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana and Sunday from 1:00 p.m. until the time of service at the Green Road Baptist Church, 432 Green Road in Madison, Indiana.

MILITARY HONORS

A final salute will be conducted with military honors provided by the Major Samuel Woodfill Post No. 9 of the American Legion.

MEMORIAL EXPRESSIONS

Memorial contributions may be made to the Green Road Baptist Church general fund or church basement remodeling fund. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centers of Madison and Hanover or at the church. Online condolence, remembrances and memorials can be left at www.morgan-nay.com.

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Tazman Adams

Tazman Daniel Adams, 29, of Milton, Kentucky, died Tuesday, April 6, 2021, at his home. Arrangements will be

announced by the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover, www.morgan-nay.com.

Mrs. Lucille “Luci” Bruther Jackson



Mrs. Lucille “Luci” Bruther Jackson, age 92, of Lexington, Indiana, entered this life on February 15, 1929, in Jefferson County, Indiana. She was the fourth daughter of Gordon W. Bruther and Eva Mae Means Bruther, both of whom preceded her in death. On Pearl Harbor Day, when Luci was just 12, she and her six siblings, ages 3 to 15, lost their loving mother unexpectedly. Though just a child herself, Luci stepped in and helped raise her siblings. On March 15, 1947, she was united in marriage to Millis L. Jackson, a Saluda boy. This happy union of fifty-one years was blessed with a son, Jerry Lynn and a daughter, Teri Marie. Luci was a member of the New Prospect Baptist Church. She was a homemaker and a farmer’s wife, being a partner in Jackson Brothers Farms. Over the years, many farmhands enjoyed elaborate homecooked meals at her table and came to love her as a second mother. Luci was seen as a beautiful and elegant lady by all who knew her, always aware of the latest fashion and wearing beautiful jewelry and clothing. She particularly enjoyed trendy shoes. Luci’s children and their families lived nearby on the family farm their whole lives, bringing her much joy. In July 1986, she suffered the tragic loss of her oldest granddaughter, Rachel Lynn Jackson, whose memory she cherished every day for the rest of her life. “Mammaw Luci” was so beloved to her family that two of her great granddaughters bear her name. In her golden years, Luci enjoyed the companionship of her lifelong friend, Norman Wiggam, who died in March 2018. After being cared for by her loving family for nearly four months at home on the family farm where she lived more than 70 years, Luci died at peace the morning of Wednesday, March 31, 2021.

A LOVING FAMILY

Luci will be missed by her loving son, Jerry Lynn Jackson and his wife, Marilyn Jane, of Hanover; her loving daughter, Teri Marie Kleopfer and her husband, Steven Gale, of Lexington; her loving brothers, Delbert H. Bruther and his wife, Delores, of Hanover, and Woodrow Bruther and his companion, Phyllis Sauley, of Madison; her loving granddaughters, Amber Kleopfer Senseny and her husband, Robert Matthew, of Indianapolis; Kirstie Lane Craven and her husband, Eric Michael, of Taylor Mill, Kentucky; Heather Nicole Ade and her husband, Jake, of Frisco, Texas and her loving grandson, Clayton Andrew Jackson and his wife, Katie Leigh, of Denver, Colorado. Her memory will be cherished by her seven beloved great-grandchildren: Skylar Bea Senseny, Henry Mitchell Senseny, Steven Etzler Senseny, Lucille Sara Craven, Elle Lucille Ade, Max Sylvia Ade and Alexander Michael Craven. She will also be remembered by her brother in law, Burlyn Jackson, of Madison, Indiana; several nieces, nephews and other relatives. Luci was preceded in death by her father, Gordon Bruther, in 1984; her mother, Eva Mae Means Bruther, in 1941; her stepmother Elma Lowe Bruther, in 1995; her sisters Emily Lou Mundt in 1948, Marjorie “Margie” I. Vestal in 2003 and Waneta Ella Clark in 2019; and her brother William “Bill” G. Bruther in 2020; her granddaughter Rachel Lynn Jackson in 1986 and her husband, Millis “Lindy” Jackson in 1998.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

Memorial services will be conducted on Saturday, April 10, 2021 at 1 p.m. by Brother Dan Corbin at the Morgan & Funeral Center-Hanover Chapel, 278 East Main Street Hanover, Indiana 47243. Private committal services will follow in the New Bethel Cemetery near Chelsea, Indiana. The funeral ceremony will be livestreamed on the Facebook page of Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre.

VISITATION

Friends may call Saturday from 10 a.m. until the time of service at the Morgan & Funeral Center-Hanover Chapel, 278 East Main Street Hanover, Indiana. Guest are kindly asked to observe social distancing guidelines while visiting. The family also respectfully asks that everyone wear a mask covering the mouth and nose.

MEMORIAL EXPRESSIONS

Memorial contributions may be made to New Bethel Cemetery Association. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Hanover and Madison. Online condolences, remembrances and memorials can be left at www.morgan-nay.com.



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Mr. Christopher C. “Chris” King



Mr. Christopher C. “Chris” King , age 58, of Warsaw, Kentucky entered this life on April 27, 1962 at the Jewish Hospital in Cincinnati, Ohio. He was the loving son of Kenneth and Sherry Perkins King. He lived most all of his life in Warsaw, Kentucky and was a 1980 graduate of Gallatin County High School. He served in the United States Marine Corps from 1980-1984 and was honorably discharged as a Corporal. He re-enlisted in 1985 and was honorably discharged again in 1989.

On April 21, 1982 he was united in marriage to Karen Alexander and this union was blessed with sons, Andrew and Adam, and with a daughter, Heather. He worked for many years as an over-the-road truck driver and had last worked for Dormans. He was a faithful member of the Warsaw Baptist Church in Warsaw, Kentucky. He liked collecting cars, loved history, especially World War II Airplanes, playing softball, going to church, fishing, his tractor trailers and was a devout patriot. Chris died on Sunday, April 4, 2021, at 10:20 p.m. at the Norton Hosparus Inpatient Unit in Louisville, Kentucky.

A LOVING FAMILY

Chris will be missed by his loving daughter, Heather King and her companion, James Sedam of Greensburg, Indiana; his loving sons, Andrew C. King and his wife, Connie Jo of Milton, Kentucky, Adam King and his companion, Leann Bryant of Vevay, Indiana; his father, Kenneth King of Ghent, Kentucky; his grandchildren, Chelsea, Haley, A.J., Jayden, Skyler, and Lennon; his great nieces and great nephews whom he considered as his grandchildren, Alyssa and Nick; his brother, Nathan King and his wife, Tracy of Ghent, Kentucky; his sister, Julie King White of Ghent, Kentucky; his aunt, Suzanne Geisler of Madison, Indiana; his uncles, Wayne Ward of Madison, Indiana, Charlie Geisler of Madison, Indiana; his great aunt, Bonnie Davis of Madison, Indiana; several nieces, nephews, cousins and other relatives. He was preceded in death by his mother, Sherry Perkins King, died January 11, 2011, and his brother, Carl King.

FUNERAL CEREMONY

Funeral services will be conducted Friday, April 9, 2021, at 2:30 p.m., by Pastor Ken Ritchie at the Warsaw Baptist Church, 106 West High Street in Warsaw, Kentucky. Interment will follow in the Warsaw Cemetery in Warsaw, Kentucky

VISITATION

(ALL VISITATION IS AT THE CHURCH)
Friends may visit Thursday from 4:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. and Friday from 1:00 p.m. until the time of service at the Warsaw Baptist Church, 106 West High Street in Warsaw, Kentucky.

MILITARY HONORS

A final salute with military honors will be conducted by the Major Samuel Woodfill Post No. 9 of the American Legion.

MEMORIAL EXPRESSIONS

Memorial contributions may be made to the Chris King Remembrance Fund or the Warsaw Baptist Church. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover. Online condolences, remembrances and memorials can be left at www.morgan-nay.com



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OBITUARIES

Mary Lou Smolarczyk

Mary Lou Coghill Anderson Smolarczyk, 76, of Madison, Indiana, died Monday, April 5, 2021, at her home in Madison.

She was born on Dec. 8, 1944, in Milton, Kentucky, to James Lee Chatham and Edna V. Coghill. She was raised in Trimble County and graduated from Trimble County High School in 1963. She married Glen Anderson on Dec. 29, 1967, and they had a daughter and a son. Later in life she married John A. Smolarczyk on Oct. 27, 1978. She retired from the Madison Walmart Pharmacy in 2009 after 15 years of service as a pharmacy tech. Earlier she had worked at Conn Organ for eight years and US Shoe Factory for 12 years. She was a member of Faith Alliance Church, now 24/7

Life Church, in Madison.

Survivors include her son, Jason Anderson of Spring Grove, Pennsylvania; her daughter, Jannifer Munsey of Townson, Maryland; six brothers, Richard Coghill of Scipio, Indiana, Bobby Chatham of Vevay, Indiana, Ralph Chatham and Freddy Chatham, both of Hanover, Indiana, Doug Chatham of Milton, Kentucky and Frank Coghill of Madison; eight sisters, Wilma Anderson, Betty Aulick and Lois Bennett, all of Madison, Virginia Richardson of Paris, Indiana, JoAnn Cox of Deputy, Indiana, Doris Beard and Sue Cull, both of Milton and Shirley Davison of Frankfort, Kentucky; and four grandchildren and several nieces, nephews, cousins and other relatives. She was preceded in death by her parents; her

husband of 35 years, John A. Smolarczyk, on May 25, 2014; three brothers, Victor “Buddy” Chatham, James Allen Chatham and William Calvert “Billy” Chatham Sr. and a sister, Linda Worcester.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. on Saturday, April 10, at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre in Madison. Interment will follow in the Grandview Memorial Gardens near Madison. Visitation is 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. Friday, April 9, and 1 p.m. until time of services Saturday at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to 24/7 Life Church or the St. Jude Children’s Research Hospital. Cards are available at the funeral home. Online condolences, www.morgan-nay.com.

Cindy Lou Wheeler

Cynthia “Cindy Lou” Danetta Wheeler, 62, of Carrollton, Kentucky, died Monday, April 5, 2021, at her home in Carrollton.

She was born on Dec. 30, 1958, in Owenton, Kentucky, to Daniel Webster and Virginia Bradley Webster. She graduated from Gallatin County High School and then Western Kentucky University with an elementary education teaching degree. Her first year of teaching was in Columbia, South America, but she spent the next 33 years teaching second grade at Kathryn Winn Elementary School in Carrollton. She currently

was working for Jefferson Community Technical College as a career navigator in the Adult Education Program. She was a member of the Relevant Church in Carrollton and loved to help people, organize local Red Cross blood drives and enjoyed working and volunteering at the local food pantry.

Survivors include a daughter, Danielle Wheeler of Louisville; her companion, AJ Avis; and many close friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her sister, Regina Stewart; and a stepbrother, Daniel B. “Dan” Webster.

Charles Moore

Charles “Chuckie” William Moore, 46, of La Grange, Kentucky and formerly of Campbellsburg, Kentucky, died Monday April 5, 2021, at Baptist Health in La Grange.

He was born May 10, 1974, in Carrollton, Kentucky, to Issac and Lillian Thomas Moore. He grew up in Campbellsburg and attended Henry County

schools. He enjoyed fishing.

Survivors include several aunts and uncles and many friends.

Graveside services were Wednesday at the Campbellsburg Masonic Cemetery in Campbellsburg. Arrangements entrusted to Ransdell Funeral Home in Campbellsburg. Online condolences, www.ransdellfuneral.com.

Funeral Services will be at 4:30 p.m. on Monday, April 12, at the Relevant Church. Burial will be in the Ghent Masonic Cemetery in Ghent, Kentucky. Visitation will be 2:30 p.m. until time of services Monday at the church.

Due to current COVID-19 restrictions, church occupancy is limited to 60% normal capacity. Attendees are asked to social distance and wear a face covering if possible.

Memorial gifts may be given to the Relevant Church in care of Tandy-Eckler-Riley Funeral Home in Carrollton. Online condolences, www.tandyeckler-rileyfuneralhome.com.

Richard Moore

Richard Moore, 76, of Scottsburg, Indiana, died Monday, April 5, 2021, at the Swiss Villa Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Vevay, Indiana. Funeral arrangements and additional information are pending at Lytle Welyt Funeral Homes & Cremation Service in Madison, www.lytlewelyt.com.

County BZA tables campground proposal

BY BOB DEMAREE

A proposed camping area at 4004 North Old State Road 62 in Madison Township was tabled by the Jefferson County Board of Zoning Appeals at its meeting Tuesday to give members an opportunity to look at the property.

Property owners Sam and Angela Simons are asking for conditional use of the 44.548-acre property to be classified as other recreation including camping and picnic area. Sam Simons said plans call for nine cabins with each approximately 640 square feet.

John Muessel, who owns nearby property at 3816 North Old State Road 62, expressed his reservations about the plans for the land.

“He will be building permanent structures with cabins” that will have plumbing and electric “if it doesn’t work out, what will they be or they will turn into rental projects?”

Muessel noted that area is a “rustic, wooded area, and this will drastically change this area with permanent structures.”

The property is located near the Cozy Acres Golf Course at 4040 North Old State Road 62. Simons said what he is proposing is “far, far less than Cozy Acres” with primitive cabins that “can’t be made into residences” and are only to be used as part of the campground. Simons anticipates the bulk of the usage of the campground to be in the summer months between Labor Day and Memorial Day, but there could be visitors at other times of the year.

Board president David Ferguson said he wasn’t prepared to make a decision until

visiting the site and seeing how the plan would fit together.

“To feel good about it, I think we need more details,” Ferguson said, recommending the delay before the board votes on the issue. “I would like to visit the property and get a sense of where the cabins are going and do more homework, and look at the whole situation.”

Because Simons will be unable to attend the BZA’s May meeting, action was tabled until the June meeting.

In other action, the board:

- Approved a tower for Verizon Wireless LLC, on property in Graham Township owned by Gary Short Jr., 5518 North State Road 3, Deputy, contingent on verification of notice to the State of Indiana, which has a section of nearby property. The proposed telecommunications facility will consist of a 325-foot self-supported lattice tower with a five-foot lightning arrester within a ground space of 100-foot by 100-foot lease space.

Dave Coots, attorney for Verizon, said the “purpose of the tower is to off-load existing towers that surround it” and to upgrade to 4G service from the current LTE service. He noted the tower is needed because of the increasing demands on data and capacity needs that are quickly increasing. Coots said the plan

calls for a self-collapsing tower in the event of severe storms or failure. “Instead of falling over, it will fold over itself,” he said.

- Approved the use of property owned by Julie and Barry Huff at the Huff Family Farm at 4026 North 1360 West, Deputy, in Graham Township, for a you-pick daffodil flower farm that will include nature tours and farm days. Julie Huff, the applicant, said visits to the property would be by appointment only

with 90-minute visits twice daily — one in the morning beginning at 9 a.m. and another in the afternoon beginning at 2 p.m. She said there will be parking for up to 10 vehicles. Additionally, she noted the activities will only occur over the short period when daffodils are in bloom.

Board member Mike Shelton voiced his approval. “I know where it is, and there is plenty of room” for what they are doing. “I have no concerns.”

- Agreed to allow David and Amber Wilson a variance of 15 feet from side property lines instead of the required 25 feet in their efforts to build a three-bay garage with breezeway connecting to their existing home at 3130 East Stephan Lane in Madison Township. The applicants have a land-lease agreement between the adjoining land owner to the side property line to use and maintain the land.

Hanover to form beautification committee

Council to buy own video equipment

BY BOB DEMAREE

Hanover Town Council is seeking ways to beautify the community and moved toward better planning for that by establishing a beautification committee at Tuesday’s meeting.

Board member Debbie Kroger said they want the beautification committee to present recommendations to the council about ways to beautify the town.

“We want to work with people in the community,” she said. Kroger noted Hanover College has already agreed to maintain an area in the intersection near Jendy’s Pizzeria and Pride Supermarket along State Road 56.

In other business, the Council:

- Appropriated up to \$7,000 for purchasing camera equipment that will allow the town to video record its own meetings. The issue surfaced after Madison TV15 was unable to continue recording meetings last month. However, Lori Hedges, a member of the Cable Advisory Board, was at Tuesday’s meeting

to record it after the CAB board recently agreed to become a working board.

- Announced that the town continue working toward purchasing security cameras for Fireman’s Park, along with installing WiFi for better protection following recent vandalism in that area.

- Approved paying \$5,392.18 from unappropriated funds for work at Hanover Park. Much of the amount was spent on soil for Field No. 2 at the Hanover Community Park — \$2,612.18 to Estes Materials and \$300 to Sedam Contracting. Another \$2,480 was paid to Tennis Technology Inc. for pressure washing the tennis courts.

- Announced that there are five applicants for the Nuisance/Building and Zoning Officer position with interviews scheduled for next week.

- Hanover Town Police will be hosting a Less Lethal instructor course in October for training within the department on deployment and use of pepper spray, kinetic energy impact projectiles, chemical agents, noise/flash diversionary devices and stun munitions.

- Announced plans to seek bids to sell town-owned properties at 132 Maple Street and 138 Ohio Avenue.

Let Us Pause To Honor The Memory Of

Kathryn “Kathi” Sue Carlisle



Kathryn “Kathi” Sue Carlisle, age 57, of Madison, Indiana entered this life on October 11, 1963 in Seymour, Indiana. She was the loving daughter of Norman Lee and Connie Sue Britton Carlisle. She was raised in the Dupont Community and attended school there. She graduated in 1982 from Madison Consolidated High School and attended beauty college to become a licensed cosmetologist on April 24, 1989. She was united in marriage in July 1983 to Christopher Neil Wright and this union was blessed with a daughter, Brittany Marie. She had worked for Fashion Cleaners and Wolohan Lumber for several years. Kathi was married to Mark Henry in October 1994 and they were blessed with a son, Gunnar Mac. Kathi worked for 14 1/2 years at the Madison State Hospital as a psychiatric attendant, before becoming disabled. She loved shopping, reading, crafting, sewing and making trips to Tennessee. She had attended North Madison Christian Church earlier in life. She was a devoted mother, loving daughter, grandma and sister. Kathi died on Sunday, April 4, 2021, at 5:20 a.m. at the Norton Hosparus Inpatient Unit in Louisville, Kentucky.

A LOVING FAMILY

Kathi will be missed by her loving daughter, Brittany Marie Wright Martin and her husband, John of Hanover, Indiana; her loving son, Gunnar Mac Henry and his wife, Brooklynn of Madison, Indiana; her loving dad, Lee Carlisle of Dupont, Indiana; her loving sisters, Toni Lea Martin and her husband, David of Greenwood, Indiana, Taffeney Rane “Bumper” Pilman and her husband, Jerry of Huntsville, Alabama; her adoring grandchildren, Delaney Ems and Heath Martin; her uncle, Gerald D. “Jerry” Carlisle of Commiskey, Indiana; her aunt, Kay and Joe Yager of Madison, Indiana; several nieces, nephews and other relatives. She was preceded in death by her loving mother, Connie Sue Britton Carlisle, died March 10, 2012, her grandson, Bowen Mac Henry, died January 8, 2018, her paternal grandparents, Gerald “Buddy” Carlisle, died February 27, 2003 and Lavelle Rowlett Carlisle, died December 18, 2012, her maternal grandparents, John T. Britton, died June 20, 1981 and Marie Donnel Britton, died January 29, 1983; her uncle and her aunt, Doyle Ehlers died, January 29, 2016 and Sandra Ehlers, died July 13, 2011.

FUNERAL CEREMONY

Funeral services will be conducted Friday, April 9, 2021, at 11:00 a.m., by Pastor Shane Brunner at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana. Interment will follow in the Dupont Cemetery in Dupont, Indiana.

VISITATION

Friends may visit Thursday from 4:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. and Friday from 9:00 a.m. until the time of service at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana.

MEMORIAL EXPRESSIONS

Memorial contributions may be made to the Kathi Carlisle Remembrance Fund. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover. Online condolences, remembrances and memorials can be left at www.morgan-nay.com

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Let Us Pause To Honor The Memory Of

Mrs. Mary Lou Coghill Anderson Smolarczyk



Mrs. Mary Lou Coghill Anderson Smolarczyk, age 76, of Madison, Indiana entered this life on December 8, 1944 in Milton, Kentucky. She was the loving daughter of the late James Lee Chatham and Edna V. Coghill. She was raised in Trimble County and graduated from Trimble County High School in 1963. On December 29, 1967 she married Glen Anderson and this union was blessed with a daughter, Jannifer, and a son, Jason. Later in life on October 27, 1978 she was united in marriage to John A. Smolarczyk and they shared 35 years of marriage together until his death on May 25, 2014. Mary Lou retired from Madison Wal-Mart Pharmacy in 2009 after 15 years of service as a pharmacy tech. Earlier she had worked at Conn Organ for 8 years and the U.S. Shoe Factory for 12 years. She was a member of Faith Alliance Church now 24/7 Life Church in Madison. Mary Lou died on Monday, April 5, 2021, at 9:47 p.m. at her home in Madison, Indiana.

A LOVING FAMILY

Mary Lou will be missed by her loving son, Jason Anderson and his wife, Natalie of Spring Grove, Pennsylvania; her loving daughter, Jannifer Munsey and her husband Pete of Townson, Maryland; her grandchildren, Tyler Anderson and his husband, Arin, Eve Anderson, Elizabeth Anderson, and Savannah Coffey; her brothers, Richard Coghill and his wife Dixie of Scipio, Indiana, Bobby Chatham and his wife Pam of Vevay, Indiana, Ralph Chatham and his wife Denise of Hanover, Indiana, Freddy Chatham of Hanover, Indiana, Doug Chatham and his wife Sheila of Milton, Kentucky, Frank Coghill of Madison, Indiana; her sisters, Wilma Anderson of Madison, Indiana, Virginia Richardson of Paris, Indiana, Betty Aulick of Madison, Indiana, JoAnn Cox of Deputy, Indiana, Doris Beard and her husband Mike of Milton, Kentucky, Lois Bennett of Madison, Indiana, Sue Cull and her husband Rick of Milton, Kentucky, Shirley Davison and her husband Ed of Frankfort, Kentucky; several nieces, nephews, cousins and other relatives. She was preceded in death by her father, James Lee Chatham, died April 26, 1984, her mother, Edna V. Coghill, died April 22, 1984, her husband of 35 years, John A. Smolarczyk, died May 25, 2014, her brothers, Victor “Buddy” Chatham, died March 7, 2002, James Allen Chatham, died August 28, 1996, William Calvert “Billy” Chatham, Sr., died October 9, 2020, and her sister, Linda Worcester.

FUNERAL CEREMONY

Funeral services will be conducted Saturday, April 10, 2021 at 2:00 p.m., by Pastor Chris Hostettler and Mr. Glen McIntire at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana. Interment will follow in the Grandview Memorial Gardens, 9306 North US 421 near Madison, Indiana.

VISITATION

Friends may visit Friday, April 9, 2021 from 4:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. and Saturday, April 10, 2021 from 1:00 p.m. until the time of service at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana.

MEMORIAL EXPRESSIONS

Memorial contributions may be made to 24/7 Life Church or the St. Jude Children’s Research Hospital. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover. Online condolences, remembrances and memorials can be left at www.morgan-nay.com

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Madison whips Greensburg, improves to 6-0

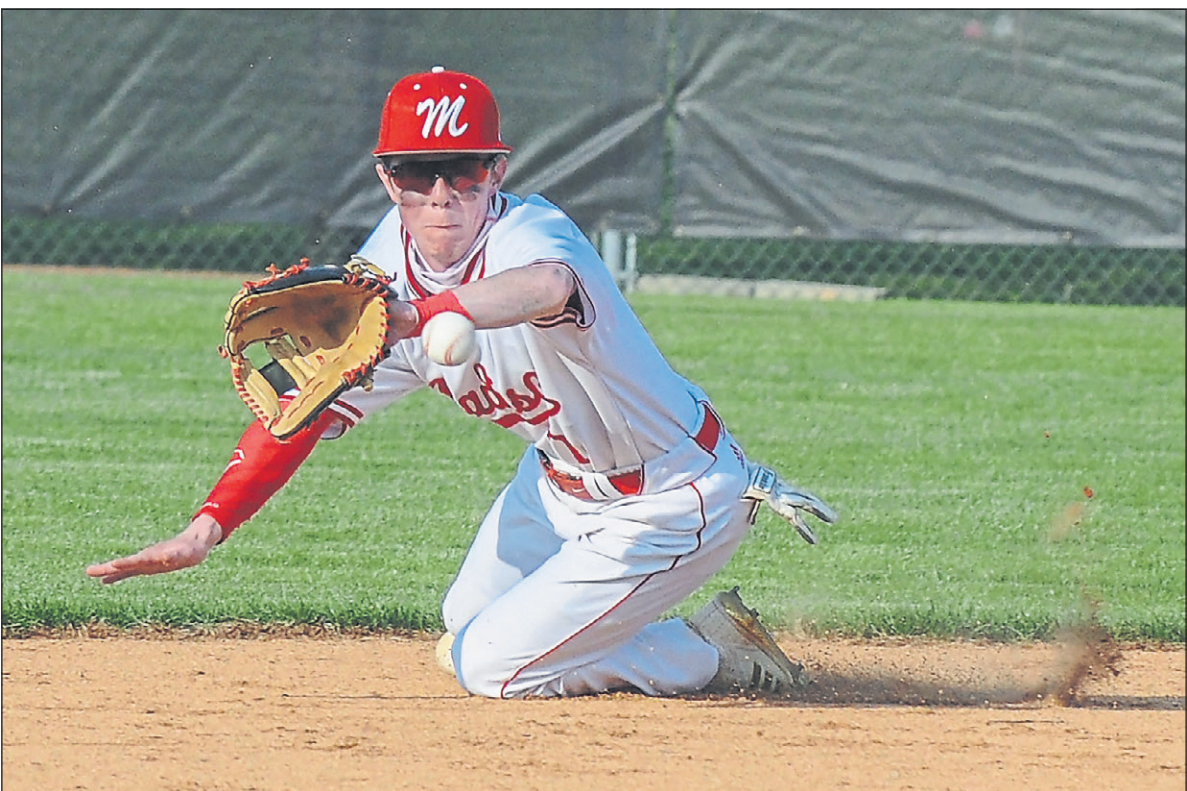
BY DAVID CAMPBELL

Madison didn't exactly put on a baseball clinic over the first two innings of its home opener on Tuesday. But by the end of the game, the Cubs looked every bit as dominant as they have been while going 6-0 over the first week of the season.

Madison shrugged off an early 3-0 deficit to roll past Greensburg 13-3 on Tuesday to remain undefeated on the season. The Cubs took the lead with two runs in the second and three more in the third and then used a 7-run fourth inning to seize control of the game. Ben Orrill's RBI single in the fifth — his fourth hit and fifth RBI of the game — ended the game on the mercy rule.

The end result was the same as each of Madison's previous five wins but Madison coach Tim Armstrong saw plenty of things his team needs to work on in this early season.

"We forced a little bit early compared to the way we played last week," Armstrong said. "Defensively, I think we're going to be all right. It's just a matter of focusing early."



David Campbell

Madison second baseman Keaton Rowlett ranges far to his right to grab this line drive during the Cubs' baseball team's 13-3 against Greensburg in its Tuesday home opener.

Greensburg (1-2) didn't hit the ball out of the infield over the first three innings but still held a 3-0 lead thanks to two infield singles, three errors, three walks, one wild pitch and several questionable decisions. But Madison didn't let those miscues affect it and by the time

the third inning was over, the Cubs had the lead for good.

Madison (6-0) scored its first two runs of the game the way Greensburg had scored its three. After Orrill led off the inning by lacing a line drive to left, Keegan Clement walked and Luke McCarty reached on an infield single to load the bases. Orrill then scored on a fielder's choice by Myles Barnes and an error let Clement come across.

Three more walks, a wild pitch and a two-run single by Orrill plated three runs in the third to put Madison ahead 5-3. The Cubs then blew open the game in the fourth when Zach Forner drew a bases-loaded walk, Orrill scored two with a double, Trenton Barnes brought in a run with a single, Myles Barnes knocked a two-run single and Keaton Rowlett hit a run-scoring single.

Zach Forner led off the fifth with a double, stole third and walked home on Orrill's fourth hit to end the game.

Armstrong was pleased with the way his team responded and noted that even though it

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Naquin stars as Reds pound Pirates for 4th straight win

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

CINCINNATI — Tyler Naquin homered twice and drove in a career-high seven runs, helping the Cincinnati Reds pound the Pittsburgh Pirates 14-1 on Tuesday night for their fourth straight victory.

Rookie Jonathan India had three hits and four RBIs in Cincinnati's latest offensive outburst. Tucker Barnhart and Nick Senzel also had three hits apiece.

The Reds set a franchise record with 46 runs in their first five games. The 1895 and 1976 teams scored 44 runs through five games.

"We have a long way to go but it's been a really good start," manager David Bell said. "We're swinging the bats well but speed is coming into play. We are working at creating more opportunities to score runs."

Cincinnati left-hander Wade Miley (1-0) pitched six scoreless innings in his first start of the year. He allowed two hits, struck out six and walked one.

Miley was limited to six appearances last season due to two separate stints on the injured list.

"I just tried to work fast," Miley said. "The way we're swinging the bats, I wanted to get them off the field as quick as possible."

Naquin got the scoring started by launching Trevor Cahill's fourth pitch of the game an estimated 454 feet for his first career leadoff homer.

"I wouldn't want to put a ceiling on it, but I have hit a ball that far once in Cleveland," Naquin said. "Just one time though."

Naquin connected again in the second, making it 5-0 with a three-run shot. It was his third career multihomer game.

Naquin's seven RBIs were the most by a Reds batter since Scooter Gennett had four homers and 10 RBIs on June 6, 2017, against the Cardinals. The Reds signed Naquin to a minor league deal in February.

CASTELLANOS, MOUSTAKAS LIFT REDS TO THIRD STRAIGHT VICTORY

CINCINNATI — Nick Castellanos hit a go-ahead homer in the seventh inning hours after deciding to appeal a two-game suspension for his part in a brawl, and the Cincinnati Reds beat the Pittsburgh Pirates 5-3 on Monday night.

Castellanos connected off Sam Howard (0-1) for his third homer of the season. He admired the shot as he walked out of the box, whipped his bat toward the home dugout and yelled toward teammates as he shuffled toward first.

"I'm happy for players on any team to show emotion," manager David Bell said. "It takes a lot to play this game and play it well. To be able to enjoy when you do well, it's a good thing."

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SOFTBALL ROUNDUP

Sullivan, Mann go yard in 11th to lift Madison over New Albany

BY COURIER STAFF REPORT

Lexi Sullivan and Immi Mann each hit solo home runs in the top of the 11th inning to power Madison to an 8-7 win at New Albany on Tuesday.

Madison took a 6-3 lead into the bottom of the sixth when New Albany rallied to score two in the sixth and one in the seventh to force extra innings.

After three scoreless innings, Sullivan led off the 11th with a home run and two batters later, Mann blasted another solo shot.

Mann's homer proved to be huge as New Albany scored a run in the bottom of the 11th and had the winning runs at second and third before the Cubs escaped with the win.

Mann pitched all 11 innings for Madison and struck out 12 and walked two while allowing three unearned runs on 13 hits. Kallie Eder was 3-for-6 with two doubles, two RBIs and three runs scored and Sullivan and Cam Mann each had two hits and an RBI.

On Monday, Madison dropped a 14-2 loss to Seymour at home. Cam Mann was 3-for-4 with a home run and two RBIs, Immi Mann was 2-for-4 and Sullivan had a double.

Immi Mann took the loss after giving up 10 runs — just three earned — on 10 hits in six innings with a pair of strikeouts.

Madison, now 3-4 on the season, hosted Hauser on Wednesday and hosts Silver Creek on Saturday.

PACERS BEAT AUSTIN 4-1

Switzerland County softball improved to 2-0 on the season with a 4-1 win over Austin Tuesday at home.

Sophomore pitcher Lily Sparks struck out 12 while allowing one unearned run on one hit in seven innings in the circle for the Pacers. She was also 1-for-2 at the plate with an RBI.

Switzerland hosts Jac-Cen-Del on Friday in its first Ohio River Valley Conference game of the season and heads to South Ripley on Monday.



Submitted Photo

Madison softball players Immi Mann (left) and Lexi Sullivan with their home run balls after belting a home run each in the top of the 11th inning to beat New Albany on Tuesday.

REBELS FALL TO SCOTTSBURG

Scottsburg scored five runs in the bottom of the first and pulled away for a 9-0 softball win Monday in Hanover.

The Rebels had five hits in the game but also committed five errors which led to three unearned runs.

Ashley Fulton took the loss after allowing six earned runs on five hits in six innings with three strikeouts and

six walks.

Olivia Bruce was 2-for-3 for the Rebels while Morgan Mahoney had a double. Abby Fulton and Hailee Smith added singles.

Southwestern, now 0-4 on the season, traveled to New Washington on Wednesday and the Rebels host Trimble County and Oldenburg in a round-robin on Saturday.

BASEBALL ROUNDUP

Southwestern rallies late, stays unbeaten

BY COURIER STAFF REPORT

Southwestern baseball posted its second walk-off win in three games 5-4 over Eastern (Pekin) at home on Monday.

The Rebels, who beat Henryville in their final at-bat last week, entered the seventh inning trailing 4-1 after giving up three runs in the top half of the frame.

Landon DeAtley started the rally with a leadoff single and scored on Jackson Stockdale's RBI double. After Jamison Lewis walked, the next two batters struck out. Zach Cole then drew a walk to load the bases and William Stockdale singled in two runs to tie the game.

Cole then scored the game-winner on an error off

the bat of Jordan DeAtley.

Landon DeAtley was 2-for-3 with a run and an RBI. Zach Cole got the win after allowing one run on four hits in one inning of relief. Jordan DeAtley started on the hill and gave up one run on four hits in four innings with six strikeouts and four walks.

Southwestern, now 3-0 on the season, headed to Carroll County on Wednesday and hosts fellow unbeaten Madison on Friday.

RAIDERS FALL AT HENRY COUNTY

Trimble County managed only three hits in a 12-2 baseball loss to Henry County Monday in New Castle.

The host Wildcats scored three runs in the first and one in the second to take an early 4-0 lead then blew ended the game with eight runs in the sixth to trigger the 10-run rule.

Dalton Penick had a double and an RBI for Trimble while Jalen Jett singled, had an RBI and scored a run. Jessup Smith added a single.

J.T. Wilcoxson took the loss on the mound after allowing four earned runs on five hits in four and a third innings with five strikeouts and five walks.

Trimble, now 0-4 on the season, faced Henry County again on Wednesday. The Raiders will next compete in the All "A" Classic Eighth Region Tournament on Tuesday.

CARROLL POUNDED BY SPENCER

Spencer County used a 13-run inning to pull away for a 16-1 win over Carroll County in baseball Monday at home.

The Panthers managed only one hit — a single by Luke Staley — in the loss. Marky Perkinson scored a run.

Jacobi Brewer took the loss after allowing five earned runs on three hits in two and a third innings. Lucas Shepherd and Zayne Satchwell followed him to the mound.

Carroll, now 1-3 on the season, hosted Southwestern on Wednesday and then opens the All "A" Classic Eighth Region Tournament at home against Eminence on Monday.

TENNIS ROUNDUP

Southwestern, Shawe, both win

BY COURIER STAFF REPORT

Shawe tennis opened the 2021 season with a 5-0 sweep of New Washington on Tuesday afternoon.

The Hilltoppers lost only four games en route to the win.

In singles, Abigail Hill defeated Jordan Standiford 6-1, 6-0 at No. 1, Phoebe Grote beat Macy Fields 6-1, 6-0 at No. 2 and Lauren Grote knocked off Kyndal Huff 6-0, 6-1 at No. 3.

In doubles, Lina Leath-erman and Jessica Lopez beat Grace Ellison and Sydney Owens 6-1, 6-0 at No. 1 and got a forfeit win at No. 2.

Shawe, now 1-0 on the season, travels to Jennings County today and heads to Milan on Monday.

REBELS BEAT TRINITY 4-1

Southwestern girls tennis picked up its first win of the season, 4-1, at Trinity Lutheran on Tuesday.

In singles, Elle Ford lost a hard-fought match to Sarah Leming 3-6, 6-2, 6-2 at No. 1 while Julia Worcester defeated Regin Cain 6-2, 6-0 at No. 2 and Audrey Bare beat Emily Enzinger 6-0, 6-0 at No. 2. In doubles, Autumn Harmon and Alli Voorhies defeated Beth Brown and Danielle Hubbard 6-2, 6-0 at No. 1 and Syrenia Hardy and Autumn Gross knocked off Katy Mensendrek and Katy Zabel 7-5, 6-2 at No. 2. Southwestern, now 1-1, hosted Jennings County on Wednesday and heads to South Central on Friday.

Bengals show another veteran player the door

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

CINCINNATI — The Cincinnati Bengals continued to part with veterans when they released running back Giovani Bernard on Wednesday.

Bernard, a free agent, played his entire eight-year NFL career in Cincinnati and established himself as a reliable blocking back and receiver. The 29-year-old Bernard became a starter for the last 10 games of 2020 after Joe Mixon suffered a foot injury.

A 2013 second-round

draft pick by the Bengals, he played in 115 games with 30 starts, rushing for 3,697 yards and 22 touchdowns. His 342 receptions are the most by a running back in Bengals history, and his 2,867 receiving yards are the second most. The Bengals had already traded defensive end Carlos Dunlap in midseason last year and released defensive tackle Geno Atkins last month. Both had been with the Bengals for 11 seasons. Receiver A.J. Green, who'd spent his entire 10-year career with the team, signed with Arizona as a free agent.



David Campbell photos

Madison's Ben Orrill sprints around the bases during the Cubs' win over Greensburg on Tuesday at home.

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is still a young roster — six sophomores started for the Cubs — they are a veteran team in the amount of games played.

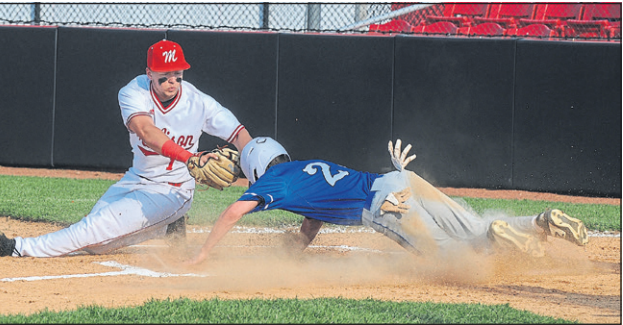
"I knew we would settle down once our bats came into it and focus a little bit," Armstrong said. "These guys know that it's all about competing day-in a day-out, one pitch and one inning at a time. We're still young and we're going to make mistakes, but good things are coming if we keep working hard."

Madison had nine hits, nearly half of which came from the sophomore Orrill who ham-

mered every strike he saw, going 4-for-4 with a double, five RBIs and two runs scored. Zach Forner had a double, an RBI and scored three runs.

Zach Forner also gutted out the win on the mound. Despite throwing 57 pitches through two innings thanks to the mistakes, the senior went all five and struck out seven and walked five while allowing just one earned run on two infield singles to improve to 2-0.

Madison returns to action today when it hosts Austin and then heads to Southwestern for a matchup with the Rebels on Friday. Southwestern entered Wednesday's game against Carroll County also undefeated at 3-0.



Madison pitcher Zach Forner (left) attempts to tag out Greensburg runner Isaac Tebbe at the plate during the Cubs' win at home on Tuesday.

Analysis: Baylor bullied the Bulldogs to win national title

BY JOHN MARSHALL
AP BASKETBALL WRITER

INDIANAPOLIS — The big, bad Baylor Bears bullied college basketball's beautiful game into a corner.

The bid for an undefeated season, one game short. A first-time national champion, crowned. Baylor over-



whelmed Gonzaga with a burst of power and speed, winning its first national championship while ending the Bulldogs' perfect season with an

86-70 win Monday night.

"Our guys, when the best is needed, the best is provided," Baylor coach Scott Drew. "The better the opponent, the better they play."

A two-year wait for a title game became the coronation of a team constructed to batter anything in its path, even the ultra-efficient Zags.

Gonzaga (31-1) appeared to feel the pressure of perfection and the fatigue — mentally and physically — from playing one of the most dramatic games in Final Four history less than 48 hours earlier.

The Bears (28-2) pounced with an onslaught of 3s and blow-bys off the dribble, sprinkled with five sets of sliding feet and waving arms on defense.

"It's a really really tough one to end a storybook season on, but listen, Baylor just beat us," Mark Few said after Gonzaga's second loss in the national title game the past three NCAA tournaments. "They beat us in every facet of the game and deserve all the credit."

Baylor hit 10 3-pointers and turned 16 offensive rebounds into 16 second-chance points.

All-American Jared Butler was the orchestrator, finishing with 22 points and seven assists.

Davion "Off Night" Mitchell spear-

headed a defense that pressured the normally-careful Zags into 14 turnovers and turned Gonzaga All-American Corey Kispert into a nonfactor.

The 1976 Indiana Hoosiers are still Division I's last undefeated men's team.

Baylor is the new king, 18 years after one of the darkest scandals the sport's history. Drew, son of a Hall of Fame coach, was the architect, assembling a team of fast-footed, broad-shouldered Bears who ran through and around nearly every team in their path.

"It was just electrifying, especially in that type of environment in the big game," Butler said. "Everybody was clicking on all cylinders and that's what it takes to win."

This highly anticipated matchup was supposed to be played in December, only to have COVID-19 force a cancellation. The wait turned out to be worth it, the two best teams all season — and the bracket's top two seeds — each playing for its first national championship.

While Baylor cruised to another lopsided victory in the first Final Four game, UCLA laid out a possible blueprint of how to throw a wrench in the spokes of the Gonzaga machine.

The Bruins made shots, lots of them, and that prevented the Zags from getting out in transition. They also played methodically on offense, refusing to run even when the opportunity arose.

Gonzaga had to play UCLA shot for shot and won it in overtime on Jalen Suggs' banked-in 37-footer.

The Bears certainly had the shot making part down.

Baylor's quickness off the dribble gave the Zags fits, setting up shots at the basket or kickouts to the arc. Miss and the Bears grabbed offensive rebounds for putbacks.

Even when Gonzaga had some

brief success with a zone, Baylor solved it by getting the ball to deft-passing MaCio Teague in the high post.

The Bears had seven 3s and nine offensive rebounds by halftime.

They also had the added caveat of being a defensive team unlike anything Gonzaga had seen, a flying force of springy, quick-footed defenders.

Switching nearly every screen, Baylor kept the Zags in front of them and out of the lane. Their fast hands created turnovers, leading to shots in transition. When they did get beat, they blocked and altered shots at the rim.

"We couldn't get anything going on either end," Few said. "We couldn't get consecutive stops on the defensive end and when we did get stops, it was really hard to generate offense consistently because, I mean, they were just so aggressive with their coverages defensively. We couldn't get any rhythm there."

Baylor opened the game with a 16-4 run and led by 19 at one point in the first half.

Gonzaga shot 1 for 8 from 3, but managed to whittle Baylor's lead to 10 by halftime with aggressive play that led to 14 free throws (12 makes).

The Zags had a couple of early second-half opportunities to cut the lead to single digits. Every time they did, a missed shot, big block or Baylor bucket followed.

Gonzaga finally got the deficit down to nine. Just over minute later it was 16.

"When you come up against a team like that, that's firing on all cylinders for 40 minutes, it really hard to compete against," Kispert said.

Then lead continued to grow, the cheers from the limited number of Baylor fans with it.

National champions at last.

Sports Shorts

From staff reports

- Southwestern senior Foster Mefford will participate in the Hoosier Basketball Magazine Top 60 Workout at Marian University in Indianapolis on Sunday.

Mefford, who has signed with Bethel University, will showcase his skills for coaches as he attempts to make his case for the Indiana All-Star team.

Other notable players selected were: Lincoln Hale, Linton-Stockton; Langdon Hatton, North Harrison; Jake Heidbred-er, Floyd Central; Kooper Jacobi, Silver Creek; Trey Kaufmann-Renn, Silver Creek (unable to attend); Lane Lauderbaugh, South Decatur; Colson Montgomery, Southridge; Logan Rohrbacher, East Central; Lane Sparks, Greensburg; and Kobe Ward, Danville.

Boys primarily from northern and southern Indiana will participate in the first session (1-3 p.m.). The remaining players, mostly from central Indiana, will compete during the second session

(3:30-5:30 p.m.). Browns-burg coach Steve Lynch will direct both sessions with Chad Ballenger of Hamilton Heights, Chad Johnston of South Bend Adams, Rich Schelsky of Parke Heritage and Kendall Wildey of South Decatur assisting.

Both sessions are open to the public. Admission is \$8 for adults or \$5 for students.

- Hanover College had athletes named players of the week in nearly every sport this week by the Heartland Collegiate Athletic Conference.

Isabelle Roberts, a freshman from Browns-burg, earned the award in women's tennis after winning a pair of matches against Franklin.

Keith Asplund, a junior from Carmel, won the award in men's tennis for the second time after claiming two wins against Franklin.

Jostin Reeves, a freshman from Greenwood, won the award in women's soccer after scoring two goals and dishing out two assists in two wins for

the Panthers last week.

Felipe Busato, a junior from Sao Paulo, Brazil, earned the honor in men's soccer after scoring three goals and getting an assist in two wins last week.

Milah Young, a junior from Granger, received the award in women's lacrosse with five goals and two assists in a win over Franklin.

Jessica Beckman, a junior from Glenwood, earned the award in women's field with a win after breaking her own school record in the discus and winning the shot put.

Zaleeya Martin, a sophomore from Shelbyville, was the women's track athlete of the week after winning the 100- and 200-meter dashes.

Reece Hunter, a senior from Mooresville, won the men's field award with victories in the high jump and the long jump.

Jordan Parker, a freshman from Evansville, was the baseball pitcher of the week after striking out nine in seven innings in a win.

- Southwestern junior varsity girls tennis picked up three wins over Trinity Lutheran on Tuesday.

Natalie Clark won 8-0, Hayley Fresh won 8-3 and Peyton Howell won 8-1.

- Madison junior varsity baseball defeated Greensburg 6-3 at home on Tuesday.

Clint Hearn got the win on the mound with nine strikeouts in five innings pitched.

Madison faces Lawrenceburg on Friday.

- Madison seventh grade baseball pounded Salem 23-3 in its season opener on Tuesday.

Bige Asher was 4-for-4 with two RBIs and two runs scored and Matt McCarty hit two doubles and drove in six. Bode Heckler had two hits and scored twice.

McCarty also got the win on the mound after allowing just one unearned run on two hits in three innings with eight strikeouts.

Madison hosts Rising Sun today and travels to Switzerland County on Monday.

Arizona hoops parts ways with Miller amid NCAA investigation

BY JOHN MARSHALL
AP BASKETBALL WRITER

Arizona had stuck by men's basketball coach Sean Miller through an NCAA infractions investigation that stretched nearly four years.

When the school didn't extend his contract beyond next season, it became clear a decision would

need to be made.

The wait came to an end Wednesday when the school announced Miller was leaving after 12 seasons and associate head coach Jack Murphy will serve as interim head coach.

"We appreciate Sean's commitment to our basketball program and

to the university," Arizona athletic director Dave Heeke said in a statement. "After taking the many factors involved into account, we simply believe that we need a fresh start and now is the time. I want to thank Sean, Amy and their sons for their service to the university and wish them the very best in the future."

REDS

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Castellanos was disciplined by Major League Baseball on Monday afternoon for sparking an incident with the St. Louis Cardinals on Sunday — the right fielder flexed while standing over pitcher Jake Woodford

moments after sliding into home.

Woodford had hit Castellanos with a pitch moments before.

His suspension is being held in abeyance until the appeal is heard.

Monday's shot was the 500th RBI in Castellanos' career.

José De León tied a career high with nine

strikeouts and allowed two runs, three hits and two walks over five innings to help the Reds secure a third straight win.

Moustakas tied it at 2 in the fifth with his first home run of the season, a solo shot on an 0-1 pitch just inside the right-field foul pole off Luis Oviedo.

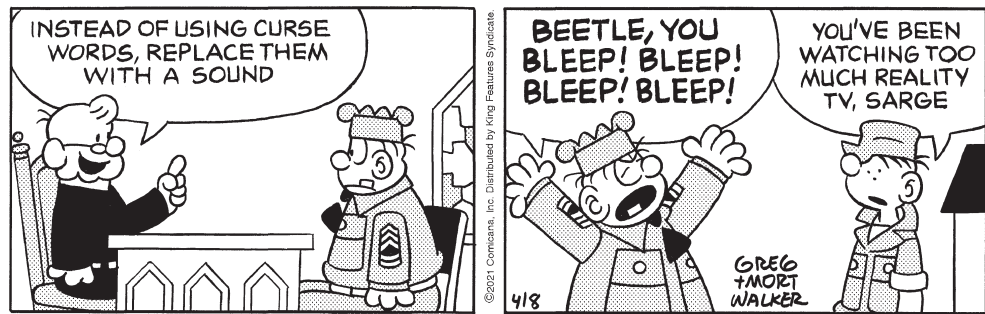
"He threw me a slow

curveball 0-0 and I swung through it," Moustakas said. "I got a good fastball and didn't miss it. I stayed inside enough to keep it straight."

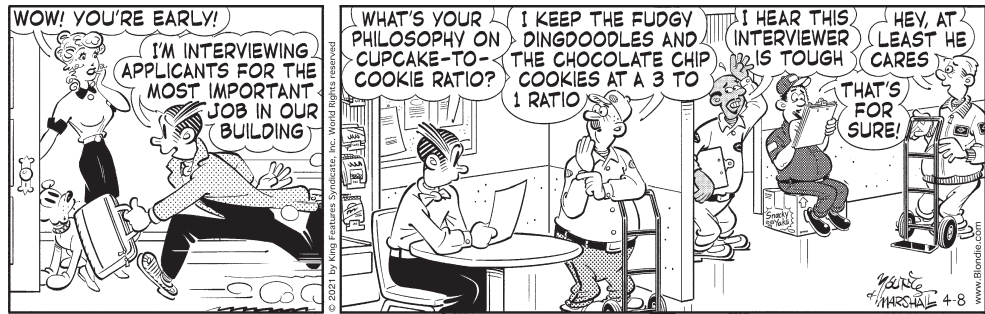
Moustakas also doubled and scored in the eighth.

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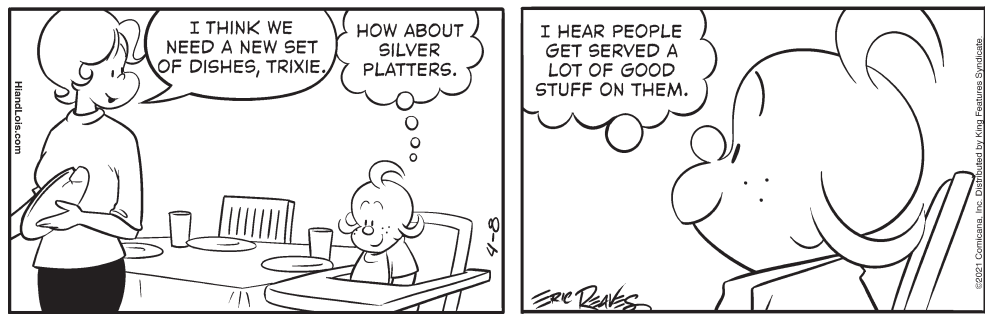
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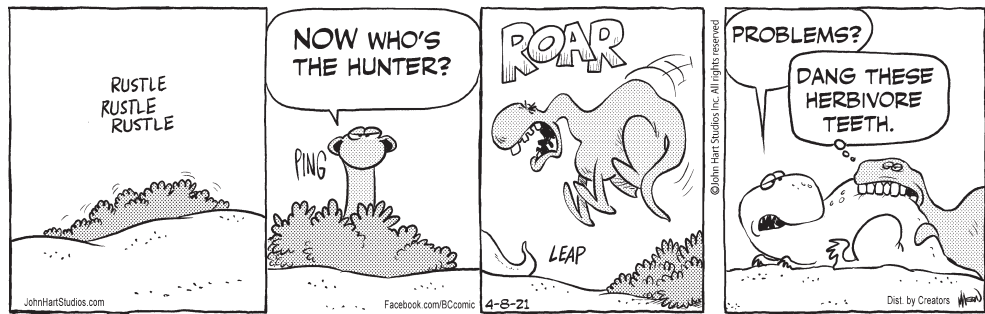
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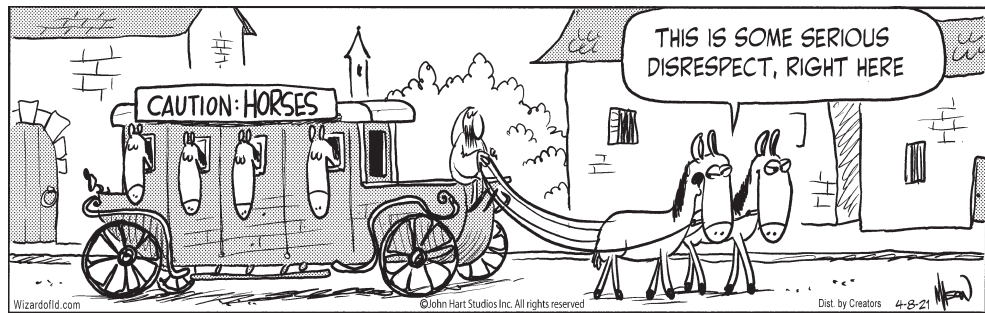
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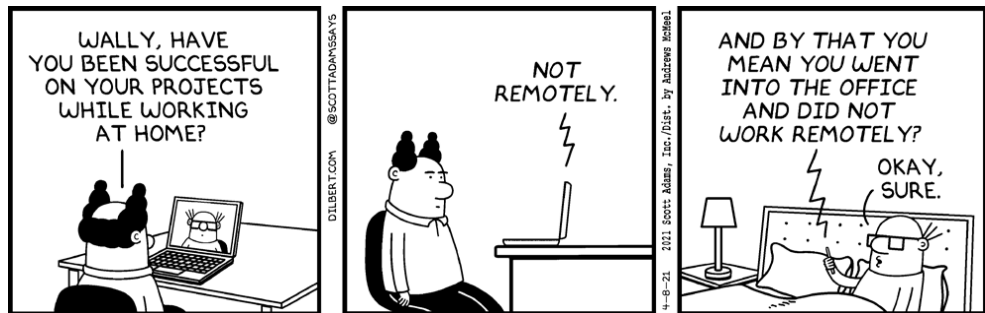
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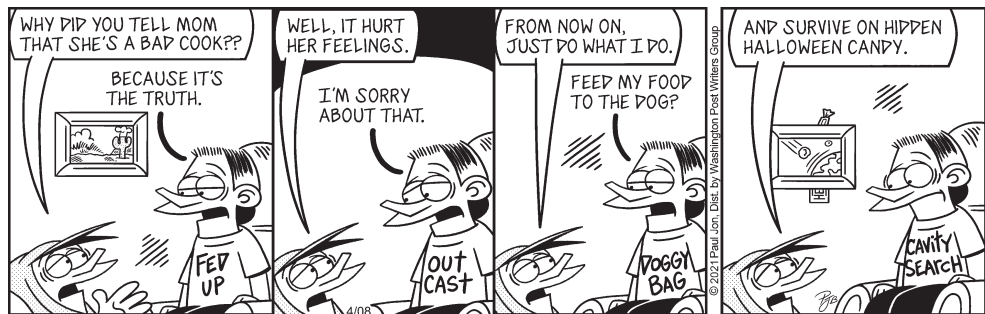
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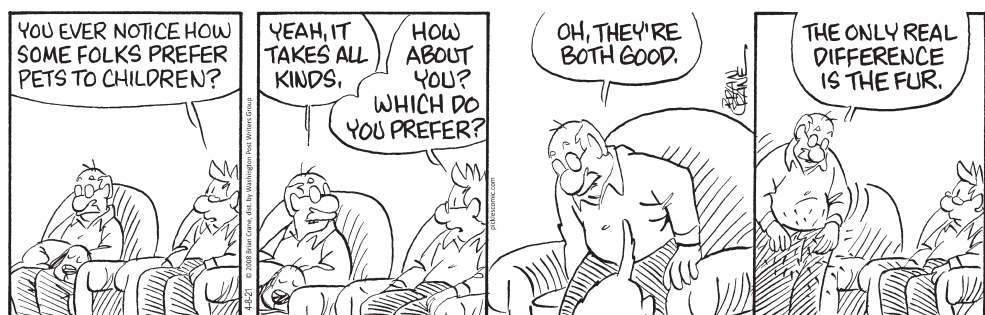
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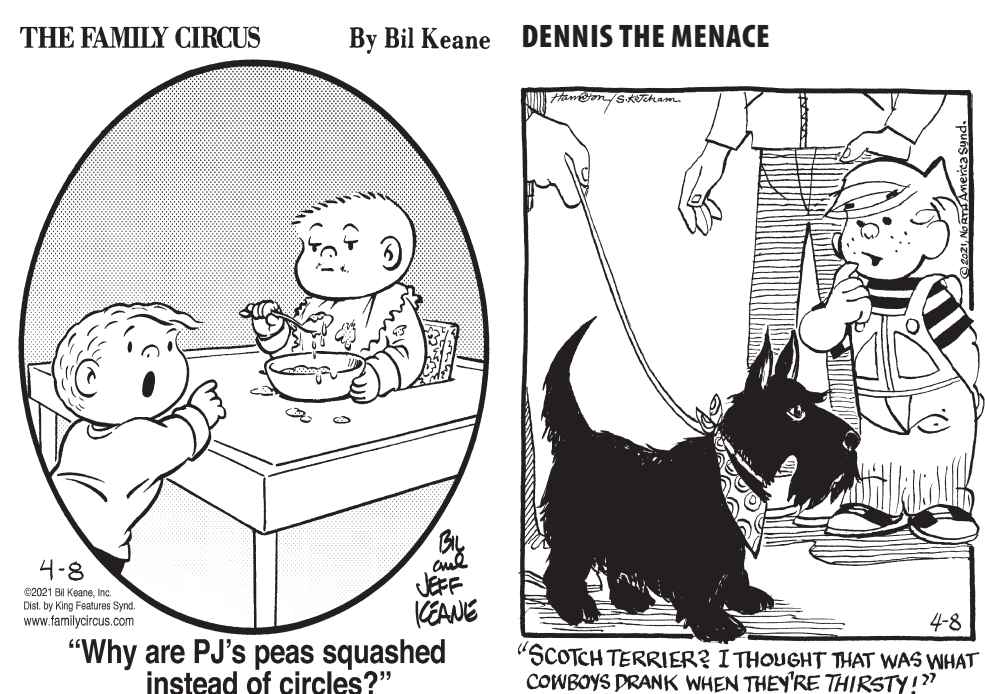
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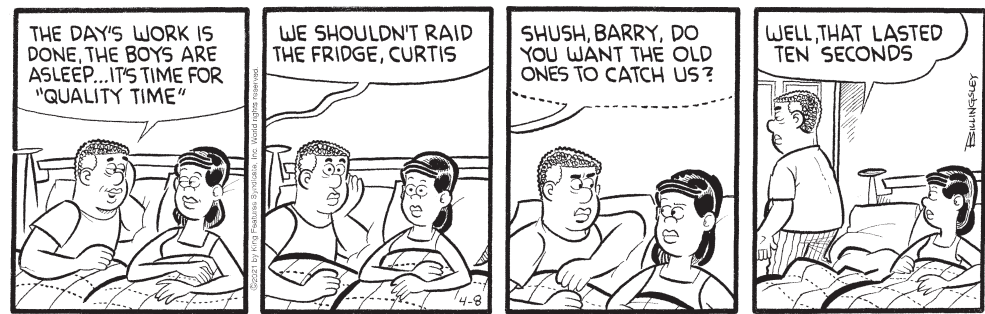
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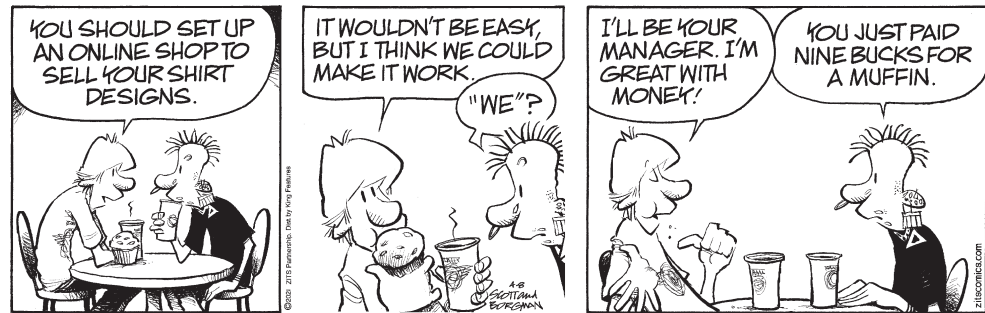
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Mother inferior

Dear Annie: My ex and I got married when I was 19. We stayed together for 10 years, during which I was dealing with untreated depression. That did not make life easy for either of us. Eventually, he left, leaving me to care for the kids. He gave us some financial support but was not present in their lives.

Unfortunately, I did not give my kids the attention I know now they badly needed. I was preoccupied with my worry about being alone forever. I have tried to make up for this since, but my daughters still harbor a deep resentment for me. I have told them numerous times how much I regret my behavior and offered to hear all their sadness as a consequence of my actions without trying to defend myself. But they have both cut me out.

My son, the youngest, is still in my life and has reassured me that I was not a terrible mother. He also suffers from depression, and for years he abused drugs. I blame the fact that he had no father in the home for those important first years.

Even after all these years, I am still preoccupied with my time married to my ex. Random thoughts are always about him — what could have been — and I always feel on the verge of tears.

I'm about to turn 70. Is there a way to finally put this behind me? I've had much therapy over the years but still revert to the pain and sadness about the childhood I was unable to give my kids and the loss of my marriage. I think that if I go into therapy again, nothing will change. But should I try again? — Regretful Mom

Dear Regretful Mom: To the question of whether to try therapy again, my answer is always yes. In your case, especially so.

You've been dealing with clinical depression since you were a teen. That black dog, as Winston Churchill called it, can't just be shaken off. Therapy won't wash away all your pain and regret, but it can help make your feelings more manageable and life more enjoyable.

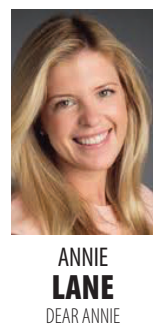
Additionally, in light of your son's drug abuse, you might benefit from a support group such as Nar-Anon (www.nar-anon.org), LifeRing Secular Recovery (www.lifering.org) or Families Anonymous (www.familiesanonymous.org).

Dear Annie: I don't believe it is impossible for "In a Quagmire," who was "unable to use computers," to learn.

When I taught farmers how to use computers, I started out with how to turn the computer on and log on. After that, they played Solitaire until they learned how the mouse worked. Then let them do email until that is natural to them. The above process might take weeks. The important thing is to do something basic and not introduce other things until they are comfortable. It is not necessary to learn everything at once. It is overwhelming.

I learned that everyone learns differently. I had one user who took forever to learn anything, but once they had it down, they never made mistakes. I am 73 and have been working with computers for 55 years. If you want to learn, keep looking for an instructor who understands. Remember: One thing at a time. — Wanda S.

Dear Wanda: "One thing at a time" is good advice across the board. And I received a few follow-up letters to "In a Quagmire" that recommended playing Solitaire and other simple games to become more comfortable with the basics — smart tip.



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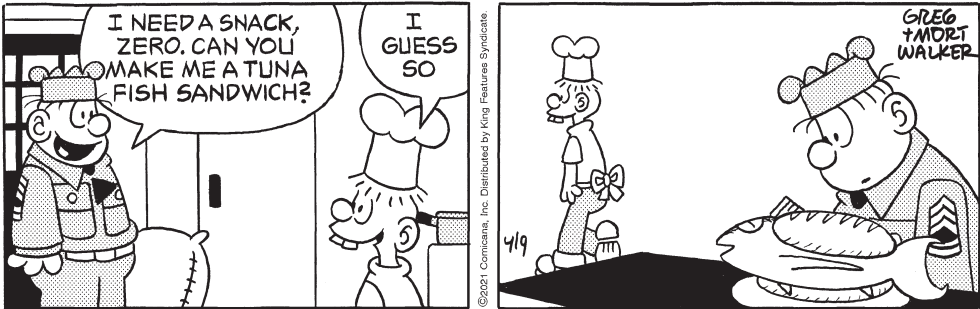
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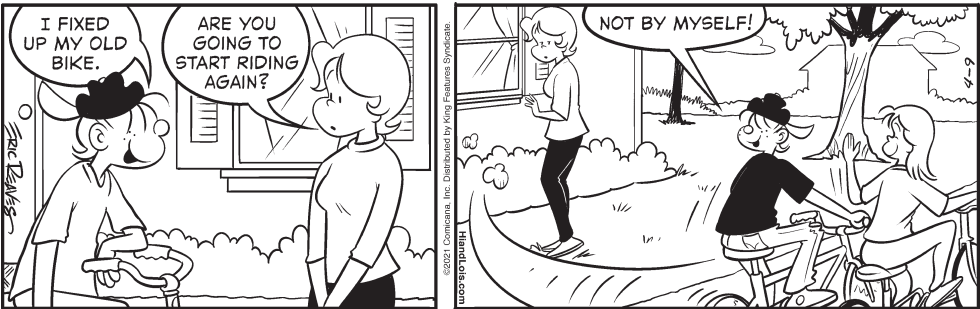
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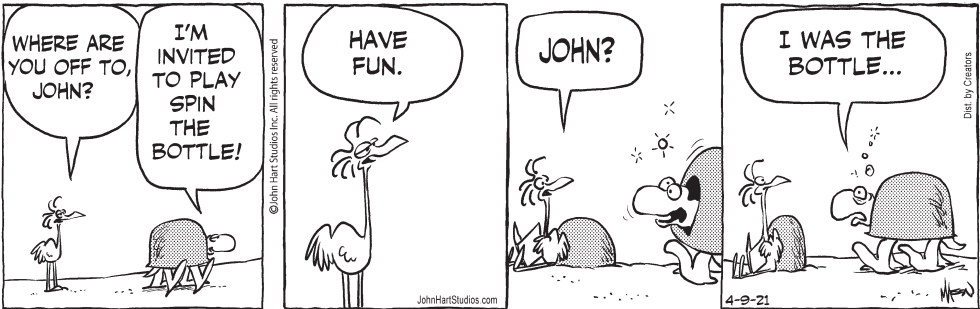
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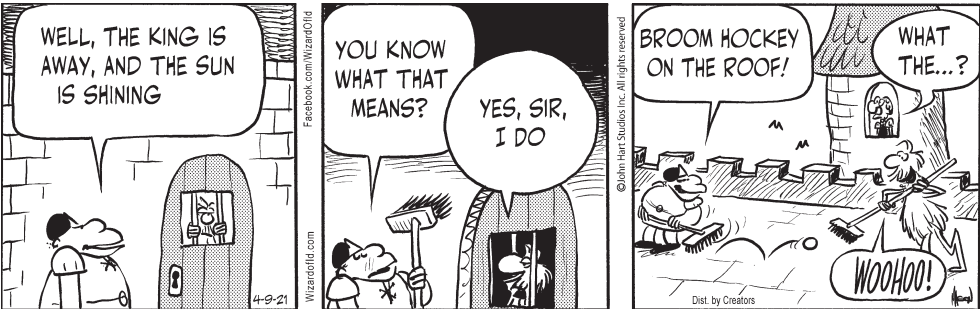
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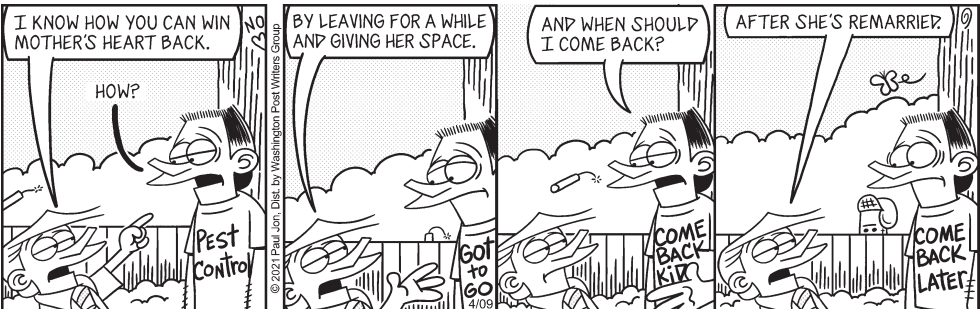
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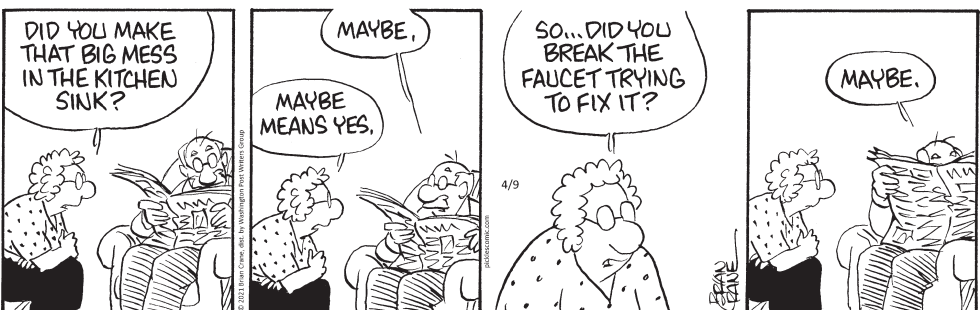
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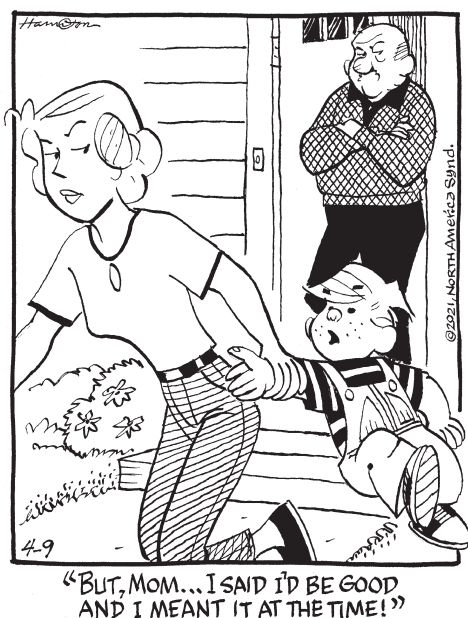
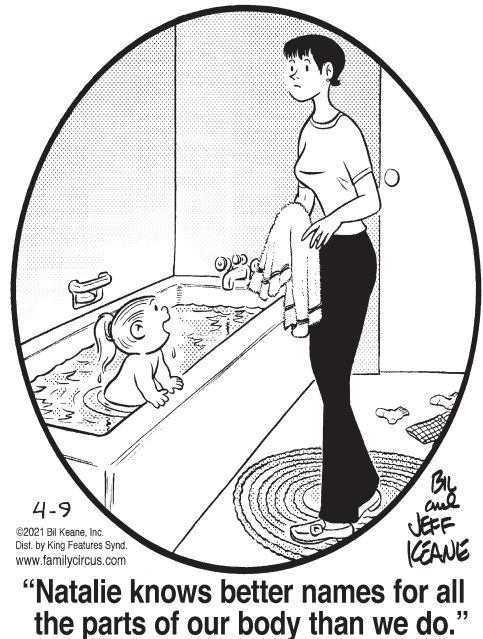


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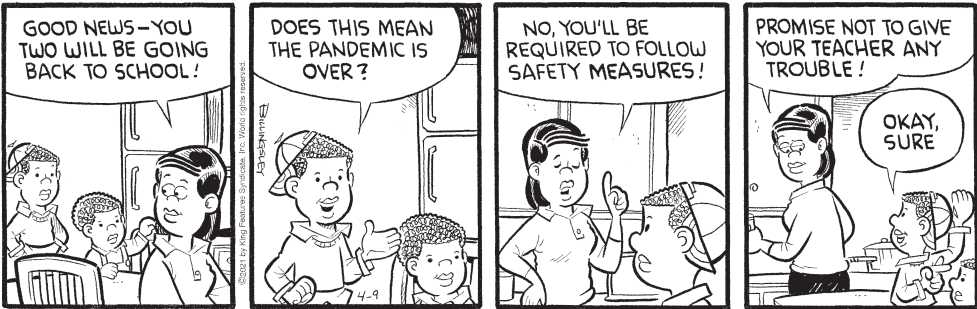
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Healing from past trauma

Dear Annie: I am 57 years old and autistic. Due to my inability to read people and my own bad choices, I am the single mother of three adult children, whom I love and am indescribably proud of. But I have never been loved. As a child, I was sexually abused by my father for years. A teacher sexually assaulted me in high school.

I'm terrified of male doctors. But two years ago, I started having to go to a doctor regularly to get injections in my eyes. If any other man even got that close to me, I'd go through the roof. But this man can get up in my face with a hypodermic and poke a hole in my eye, and somehow, I'm fine. In fact, I feel safe around him. I have had nightmares on a couple of occasions and found that I changed the dream to imagine I was lying next to this doctor with my head on his shoulder, and I wasn't afraid anymore. Why can't I find a man like this? And are autistic

people like me allowed to be loved? — When Will I Be Loved

Dear WWIBL: I'm so sorry that people who should have protected you instead hurt you. That should never happen to anyone. None of it was your fault.

It makes sense that you would find yourself attached to this doctor, an authority figure with a gentle manner. You've been vulnerable with him, and he has validated that trust. It's just the opposite of what you got growing up. But the healing that you seek won't come from any man, no matter how caring he is. It will come from you, working through the severe trauma you've been carrying for decades, with the help of trained specialists.

There are several resources I'd encourage you to make use of. The first is the Rape, Abuse and Incest National Network hotline at 1-800-656-4673, which can connect you with a trained staff member from a sexual assault service provider in your area.

I also urge you to find a counselor, preferably

one who specializes in trauma and/or serving clients who have autism. Find one by asking your primary care doctor or calling the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration hotline at 1-800-662-4357. (SAMHSA can also provide referrals to support groups and community-based organizations.)

You may also be interested in the book "The Body Keeps the Score" by Bessel van der Kolk, a psychiatrist and researcher who has decades of experience helping patients recognize, cope with and recover from post-traumatic stress disorder.

Lastly, you're not just allowed to be loved; you *are* loved. You've raised three children who, no doubt, care a great deal for you.

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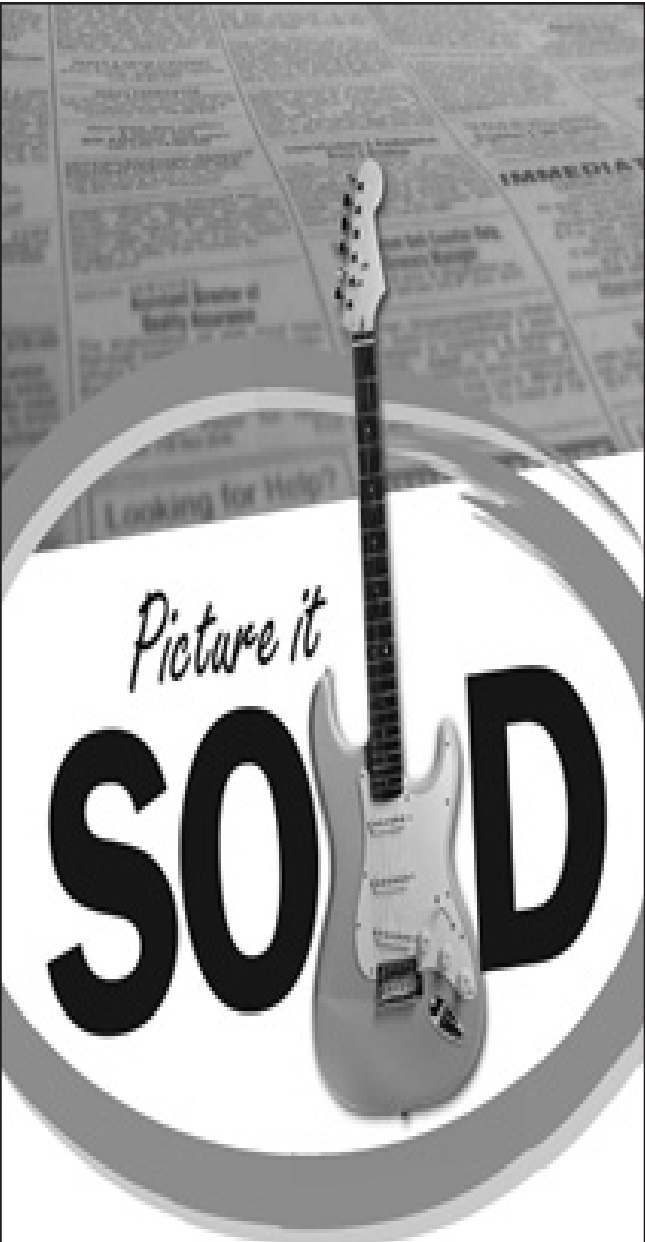
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“ UNY SXCB RN VN RSMNYVS RSNWB
TNYERXAEW XEP CXIIBUW — KBFXYW
RSXR’W DSXR IAGB AW: WNYI
VMNDRS.” — DXUEB EBDRNE

Previous Solution: “R.I.P. Cloris Leachman, a comic genius ... Bea Arthur and Madeline Kahn are welcoming her to comedy heaven.” — Paul Rudnick

TODAY’S CLUE: *Cloris Leachman*

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“ BKTWKTD F DTOVNZWLVU CZGGTTXC
VD MFLNC, JTVJNT VM YDTFW KTFDWC
BLNN FNBFC PT CFGDMLGTX WV
LW.” — KTLUDLGK KTLUT

Previous Solution: “You have to go through those mountains and valleys — because that’s what life is: soul growth.” — Wayne Newton

TODAY’S CLUE: *Wayne Newton*

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DIFFICULTY RATING:☆☆☆☆

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PREVIOUS SOLUTION

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HOW TO PLAY:
Each row, column and set of 3-by-3 boxes must contain the numbers 1 through 9 without repetition.

PREVIOUS SOLUTION

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9	2	1	8	3	7	4	6	5
4	3	6	5	1	9	8	2	7
3	4	9	6	8	5	2	7	1
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1	7	5	4	9	2	6	8	3

HOW TO PLAY:
Each row, column and set of 3-by-3 boxes must contain the numbers 1 through 9 without repetition.

- ACROSS**

1 Nesting place
5 Cathedral part
9 Cheaper
14 Inking
15 Face-to-face exam
16 Type of spray
17 Coast downhill
18 Popular salad
19 Durable fabric
20 Small dog, for short
21 Totally destroy
23 Fetch
25 One way to start
26 Kegler’s target
30 Raised up
35 Spanish “that”
36 Shortly
38 More scarce
39 Lamb’s alias
41 Grind one’s teeth
44 Pierce with a horn
45 Denims
47 Dry, as champagne
49 Aunt, in Madrid
50 Halted
53 Piled up
55 Territory
57 Decide
58 Chief minister
63 Wool givers
67 Cube inventor
- 68 Ride seeker’s shout
69 Latin 101 word
70 Graceful and quick
71 Prayer ending
72 Diva — Gluck
73 Fare counter
74 Jingle
75 Zen question
- DOWN**

1 Sibilate
2 Not employed
3 Mild-mannered
4 No-goodnik (2 wds.)
5 Jotting down comments
6 — — for one’s money
7 Sajak’s cohort
8 She loved Lancelot
9 Kind of protest
10 Sob noisily
11 Populous continent
12 Ice melter
13 She, in Cherbourg
22 Witch’s curse
24 Ecol. watchdog
26 Tips over
27 Dot in a river
28 Easily conned
29 Tours turndown

PREVIOUS PUZZLE SOLVED

M	O	P	U	P		M	O	D	E	L		C	O	N
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31 Dawdle
32 Horses’ gaits
33 Like a haunted house
34 Be frightened of
37 Capture
40 Draw a bead on
42 Tijuana “Mrs.”
43 Indulging
46 Dollar, slangily
48 Knock politely
51 Before
52 Frat letters
54 Run in the raw
56 1836 battle site

58 Hit the books
59 Not itty-bitty
60 Not much (2 wds.)
61 Cleopatra’s river
62 Wagon pullers
64 The younger Guthrie
65 Nursery word
66 Hockey’s — Mikita

- ACROSS**

1 Gemstone
5 King Harald’s capital
9 Furrowed
13 Aluminum company
15 Salad-dressing cheese
16 Moon plain
17 Surfer wannabe
18 Roll
19 Fusses
20 Checkout scan
21 Read the — act
23 Family member
25 Mass. neighbor
26 Larder
27 Repeating
30 Fall mo.
31 Woo
32 Returns (2 wds.)
37 Hoop
38 Claws badly
40 OPEC country
41 Premature
43 Gray rock
44 Stone Age tool (var.)
45 Robin Hood’s weapon
47 Something important
50 Soothing herb
51 Romp
52 Black-and-white snack
- 53 Card game cry
56 Stripe
57 Feverish chill
59 Serenity
61 Valhalla honcho
62 Socially inept one
63 Where Pago Pago is
64 They’re above the abs
65 Mediocre (hyph.)
66 Backpacker’s gear
- DOWN**

1 Surfing mecca
2 Thud
3 “Back in Black” group
4 Hawaii’s Mauna —
5 Rectangular
6 Mask part
7 “— Miserables”
8 Runs faster
9 Target rival
10 Consumer advocate
11 Sarcasm
12 Dry run
14 Skillful
22 Country lodging
24 Kitchen pests
25 Welsh dog
26 Summer hangout

PREVIOUS PUZZLE SOLVED

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27 Pale brown
28 Quarter, maybe
29 Quest
32 Mr. Lombardo
33 Hull’s bottom
34 Fast horse
35 Roman moralist
36 Was in the loop
38 Taxco residents
39 Toward shelter
42 Pageant figures
43 Busybodies
45 Rio Grande town
46 “— Buttermilk Sky”

47 Newlywed
48 Column order
49 Valleys
51 Unsuccessful venture
52 What we have
53 Rummy or tag
54 Desktop picture
55 Well-groomed
58 College maj.
60 Pack it away

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